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GREEN WOODPECKER GLADIOLUS

1260 The greenest Glad yet! Beautiful, cool lime-green, 5¼-in. flowers are daintily ruffled. The lower petals are deeper green, offset by two rich, wine-red throat markings. Consistently opens 10 or more flowers at once, on tall, straight, 22-bud stems. Unique!

10 Bulbs, **1.75** Order No. 1260

25 for 3.95
50 for 6.95

(For newest and best Glads, see pgs. 38-41)

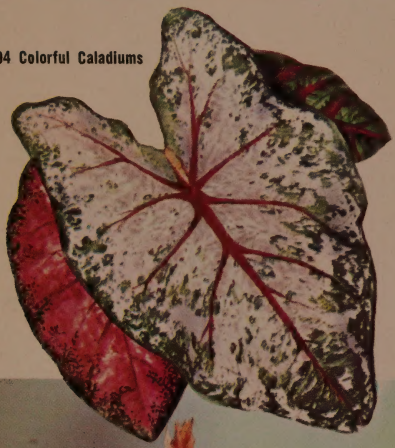
ALL BULBS AND SEEDS POSTPAID!

FLOWER & VEGETABLE SEEDS •
LAWNS • BULBS • TOOLS • PLANTS

(A) 1363 Giant Aztec Flower (Tigridia)

(B) F2922 Petunia, Pink Cheeks

(C) 1094 Colorful Caladiums



(D) 1006 Dwarf Lily of the Nile, (Agapanthus Peter Pan)

(E) F3490 Salvia, Salmon Pygmy

(F) F4620 Midget Zinnia, Thumbelina. AAS.

DESCRIPTIONS OF ITEMS ILLUSTRATED AT LEFT

(A) GIANT AZTEC FLOWER

1363 Tigridia. 18-24 in. (Color illus. A opposite) Chances are you've never seen a flower as gorgeous as this! Big, showy, brilliantly colored, Tigridias have contrasting spotted throats. As easy to grow as Glads, they bloom all summer, producing new flowers every day from July to frost. You'll be amazed at the brilliant colors, the gorgeous combinations of shades in these truly exotic flowers! You'll look at them as early as you can, every day, to see how many more blooms have opened with the first touch of the morning sun! Remember that although the flowers look exotic, they are really very easy to grow. Tigridias do love sunshine, so save a sunny corner of your garden and enjoy their gorgeous beauty all summer long. At this special low, low price you can't afford to be without them!

10 for **1.00**; 25 for **1.98**
50 for **3.69**; 100 for **6.98**

(B) PINK CHEEKS PETUNIA

F2922 15 in. NEW for '63! A Breck's exclusive! (Color illus. B opposite) Big, wide-open, 5-in. white-throated flowers that shade to soft pink at the edges. Petals are beautifully waved and ruffled. A strong, healthy F1 hybrid that will amaze you with its wealth of bloom all summer long! Pink Cheeks is truly different — an unusual combination that is bright, yet has a dainty effect that you will enjoy in the garden, in window boxes, or in lovely flower arrangements like the one being admired by the pink-cheeked little girl in our illustration.

Pkt. **75¢**

New&Unusual For '63 !

(C) COLORFUL FLAMINGO CALADIUMS

1094 (Color illus. C opposite) Take a dull, shady corner, plant Breck's Flamingo Caladiums, and watch it burst forth into the most colorful spot in the garden! Grown for their foliage, Caladiums are the gayest, most fantastic plants you have ever seen. Beautiful reds, pinks, whites and greens combine to make a kaleidoscope of color that will thrill you all summer long! Start them indoors or plant in the garden when weather is warm. They're amazingly easy to grow, and Breck's big, jumbo bulbs will give you big, beautiful plants in a shorter time than the smaller bulbs that are often offered for sale. You will enjoy them for years if the bulbs are taken up before winter and stored in a cool place until spring.

Mixed Colors — jumbo bulbs.
3 for **1.50**; 10 for **4.50**; 25 for **9.95**
(See page 45 for separate colors)

(D) DWARF LILY OF THE NILE
(Agapanthus — Peter Pan)

1006 NEW for '63! (Color illus. D opposite) One of the most beautiful blues for your summer garden . . . now available, for the first time, in a size that fits all gardens. Peter Pan sends its big blue spheres to a height of 18 in. — well above the foliage. Starting in early summer, the flowers last for weeks. May be planted in pots or in tubs for beautiful patio accents. Not winter hardy in cold climates, but easy to care for. In colder climates, the tubers may be planted in the garden and taken up each fall, or they may be grown in large flower pots or small tubs which are easy to take indoors for the winter. They keep well when handled this way . . . stored in a cool place, where an occasional watering will keep them in perfect condition for the next year.

Each, **1.95**; 3 for **4.95**

(E) SALMON PYGMY SALVIA

F3490 12 in. NEW! (Color illus. E opposite) Well-filled spikes of bright, salmon-pink tubular flowers, held well above the neat, dark green foliage, make this one of the best Salvias we have seen. Blooming as early as June, it will continue in full, glorious color until frost. Color blends well with either White Fire or Purple Salvias (see page 22). If you have always thought of Salvias as harsh brilliant scarlet, you'll be pleased with the lovely shadings of Salmon Pygmy. It's a color that will blend so well with your other garden flowers!

Pkt. **35¢**

(F) THUMBELINA ZINNIA

F4620 6 in. **AAS** Gold Medal. NEW for '63! (Color illus. F opposite) A unique new Zinnia . . . the most useful, most distinct form to be introduced in almost 5 years! Only six inches high, when fully grown, covered with dainty 1¼-in. flowers in all the gay Zinnia colors . . . pink, yellow, scarlet, white, orange and lavender. Thumbelina actually begins to bloom when less than 4-in. high and stays in bloom all summer. A bright, colorful, trouble-free, everblooming edging. Space plants no more than 3 inches apart for solid rainbow of color. Thumbelina is at its best when sown right in the garden, where it is to grow, and thinned out as needed. When used as an edging, the little, bushy plants will blend together in a bright ribbon of color that just blooms and blooms, with little or no care!

Pkt. **50¢**

NEW FOR '63!

We have learned, over the years, that our gardening friends . . . whether beginners or with years of experience . . . like to be different! You like the new — the unusual. You like to be first with a new color or new type of flower or vegetable. Just to the left, you will find an exciting selection of colorful seeds and bulbs. Some are brand new . . . the others deserve to be better known. The listings below will help you to find our new varieties for '63. Look for them as you enjoy pleasant hours of "fireside gardening" with Breck's "Better Gardens". Plan your garden around them, and amaze your friends and neighbors during the summer!

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Welcome to Breck's 146th year of bringing Better Gardens to our ever-widening circle of friends. Whether you like old favorites or new and unusual varieties, you will find, within these pages, the most complete listings of flowers, bulbs and vegetables available for your gardening pleasure. With this edition, we bring you a new look for Better Gardens — new size and format, new illustrations, new descriptions. We hope that you will enjoy many happy hours planning **your** better garden for '63!

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SEED STARTERS &

(A) NEW! EASY WAY SEEDLING GROWER

Everything You Need — Including Seeds!

Grow your own — it's easy and fun with Breck's Easy Way Seedling Grower! Everything you need to grow sturdy seedlings is included! Imagine! You get: **six 4x8-in. Perma-Nest Trays . . . 1 pkg. Fine Milled Sphagnum Moss . . . 50 Jiffy Pots (2¼-in.) . . . 10 Lifetime Plant Markers . . . 5 pkgs. of Breck's choicest seeds (1 ea. Aster, Marigold, Zinnia, Petunia, Tomato) . . . 1 Garden Pencil . . . trial pkg. of Rapid Gro . . . and complete instructions!** You'll be amazed at the way seedlings grow with Easy Way Seedling Grower! It saves you money, too! Your plants will cost less, and be ready for transplanting to your garden just when you need them!

R2878L Easy Way Seedling Grower. You save 1.94! (2½ lbs.) **3.95**

Save even more on **3 kits for 10.95**

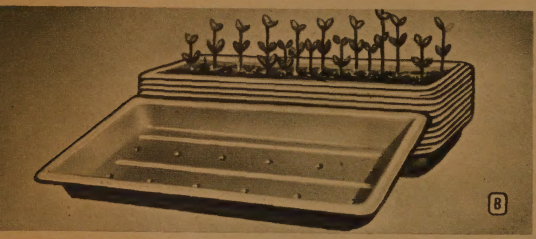
BRECK'S SPHAGNUM MOSS

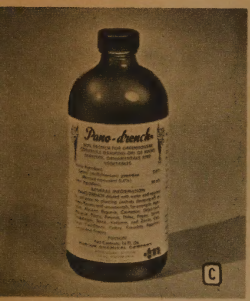
For Safe Seed Starting!

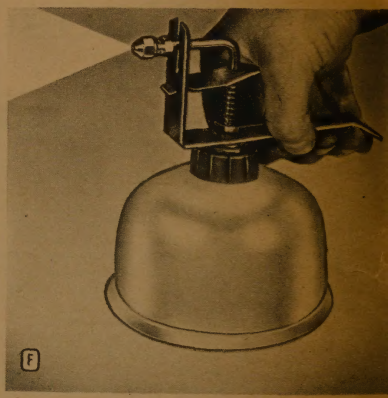
Finely ground for safe and easy seed starting! No danger of overwatering or damping-off! Sphagnum moss retains great quantities of water, holds it in reserve until needed. Pulverized, lightweight . . . valued for its spongy, absorptive quality. Contains plant tissue that makes it particularly good for Petunias, Snapdragons, other slow starters. Complete instructions. (Not illustrated)

R2091 Sphagnum Moss, 4-qts. (½ lb.) **1.00**

R2092L Sphagnum Moss, 1 bushel. (3 lbs.) **3.25**







(B) BRECK'S PERMA-NEST PLANT TRAYS

Make Seed Starting A Pleasure!

These handy trays have so many advantages! They're lightweight, easy to handle, leakproof — and practically indestructible! Versatile new green polystyrene plant trays will serve all your needs . . . from heavy greenhouse duty to displaying houseplants — or for early seed and bulb starting. Washable; non-absorbent. Trays nest to store compactly. Smallest size is 2½" deep, next three sizes are 2¾" deep.

R2613 4x8".(¼ lb.)Ea., **25¢**; 6 for **1.45**; 12 for **2.65**

R2614 8x8".(¼ lb.)Ea., **49¢**; 3 for **1.45**; 6 for **2.65**

R2615 12x8".(½ lb.)Ea., **59¢**; 3 for **1.75**; 6 for **3.25**

R2616 22x11".(1lb.)Ea., **1.98**; 2 for **3.50**; 4 for **6.95**

R2620 Set of 4, 1 ea. 4 sizes above. (2 lbs.) **2.95**

R2617 19x6x3½". (¾ lb.) Ea., **1.50**; 3 for **4.00**; 6 for **7.75**

R2618 13x15x3½". (1 lb.) Ea., **1.98**; 2 for **3.50**; 4 for **6.95**

(D) BRECK'S MICA-GRO

Ideal for starting seeds and rooting cuttings! Breck's Mica-Gro (vermiculite) absorbs and holds water like a sponge, is completely free from bacteria, fungi, insects! Use in place of soil or sand, or with sand in equal parts. Use it to store summer bulbs, too!

R2146 ½-Peck Mica-Gro. (1 lb.) **50¢**

(E) SUNLIGHTER INDOOR PLANT STANDS

Handsome, Practical & Durable!

Here's the perfect answer to every indoor gardener's problem of displaying and tending a large collection of house plants! These smartly designed, heavy-duty metal stands hold all your prize plants, precious seedlings and cuttings in the best light for maximum growth. Optional, adjustable fluorescent lights (30 watts per fixture) are available — give scientific, uniform "greenhouse" lighting; easily installed. Rust-proof green trays are removable for watering or cleaning. A must for African Violets! 2 and 4 tray stands require 24x14" floor space; 8 tray stand needs 24x27" area.

R2852L 8-Tray Stand, 27" wide, 55" high, 24" long. (28 lbs.) **34.95**

R2853L 4-Tray Stand, 14" wide, 55" high, 24" long. (Illustrated) (20 lbs.) **21.95**

R2854L 2-Tray Stand, 14" wide, 28" high, 24" long. (10 lbs.) **12.95**

R2855L Light Fixture, 30 watts. (6 lbs.) **12.95**

Save on 3 Light Fixtures for **34.95**

LONG-FIBRED SPHAGNUM MOSS

Great for planting wherever moisture and aeration are important! Use in window boxes, hanging baskets, flats, gardens. Especially good for hard-to-keep-moist plants. Ideal for transplanting, or for rooting bulbs and cuttings. (Not illustrated)

R3390 Sphagnum Moss, 5-Qt. (½ lb.) **69¢**

R3391L Sphagnum Moss, 2 Cu. Ft. (5 lbs.) **3.45**

(C) NO MORE DAMPING OFF!

Use Pano-Drench To Stop Costly Disease Losses!

Dilute amazing liquid concentrate with water to make a powerful soil drench that protects flower and vegetable seedlings, transplants and shrub cuttings from damping-off and other fungus diseases! Use before or after seeding or transplanting. Pano-Drench protection lasts for weeks!

R3098 Pano-Drench, 1-oz. bottle. (Treats up to 100 sq. ft.) (¼ lb.) **1.95**

R3099 Pano-Drench, 4-oz. bottle. (Treats up to 400 sq. ft.) (½ lb.) **5.95**

(F) MULTI-PURPOSE FOG SPRAYER

With one-hand ease, it releases a fine, soaking spray that's gentle to delicate seedlings, house plants and fragile leaves! Unbreakable polyethylene container resists acid and alkali. Heavy duty, nickel-plated brass parts. Use it for any non-residue sprays.

R2659 10-oz. Fog Sprayer. (1 lb.) **5.45**

R2660 16-oz. Fog Sprayer. (1 lb.) **5.95**

R2661 32-oz. Fog Sprayer. (2 lb.) **6.45**

(G) EEE-ZEE SEED SOWER

Here's a handy little metal tool every gardener will welcome. It simplifies the tedious job of sowing even tiniest (and costliest) seeds! Eee-Zee drops seedlings one at a time exactly where you want them . . . ends thick and thin areas, overcrowded seedlings, tiresome thinning out! Saves time, seeds and work! Ideal for small seeds like Coleus and Petunias.

R2600 Eee-Zee Seed Sower. (¼ lb.) **1.25**

PLANTING AIDS

(A) SEED STARTER KIT INCLUDING FREE SEEDS!

Enjoy a longer garden season, flowers and vegetable weeks ahead of others! Kit includes 5 waterproof boxes, 11x3¾x2¾ in., large pkg. Mica-Gro, 36 Vita Plant Bands, 3 packets of free seeds and complete instructions . . . everything you need to give your garden a head start! Select any 3 of these 25¢ specialties FREE!

0060	Ageratum	1563	Dahlia	4392	Zinnia	(3 lbs.) R2163 Kit,	1.79
0535	Aster	2607	Marigold	5318	Broccoli		
0880	Calendula	2610	Marigold	6140	Lettuce	Save on 3 kits! (9 lbs.)	5.19
1087	Carnation	3014	Petunia	6439	Pepper		
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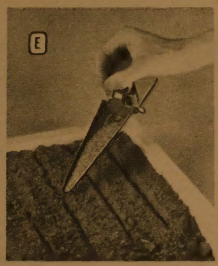
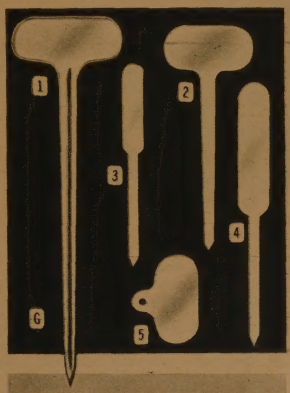
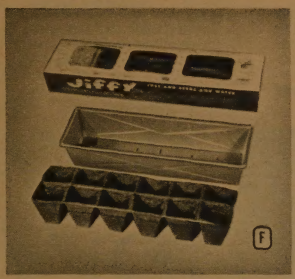
(B) HANDY PLASTIC WATERING POT

Decorator-designed of high-impact plastic, this 3-qt. watering pot will delight any indoor or outdoor gardener with its smart beauty and convenience! It's so lightweight . . . with ready-grip handle styled for carrying and pouring ease! Slim, tapered spout reaches gently under leaves . . . lets you water roots without disturbing blooms! Soft yellow, 15½" long, 9" high.

R2727 3-Qt. Watering Pot. (1 lb.) **1.98**







- Clean And Easy to Use!
- Colorful Plastic Trays!
- Propagate Root System Rapidly!
- Stay Moist, Absorb Oxygen!
- For Indoor Or Outdoor Planting!

(C) TABLE-TOP INDOOR SOLARIUM GREENHOUSE

Even novice gardeners can successfully start seeds, flowers, plants earlier or root cuttings in this miniature, professional-type greenhouse! It brings gardening joys to apartment or small home dwellers . . . enables children to SEE the magic of Mother Nature unfold! Green plastic planter box, 12x9x7", has clear plastic top, adjustable hold-open hinges to control air circulation. Comes with 12 planter pots to make transplanting easier, plus instruction booklet.

R2748 Solarium Greenhouse. (2½ lbs.) **2.98**
R2749 Refill Pots. Pkg. of 12, (½ lb.) **79¢**

(D) "MARK-IT" PLANT MARKERS

Don't be embarrassed when asked variety names! Indestructible, weatherproof grey-green plastic markers clearly tell the story! Mark them with ordinary pencil . . . erase names and use them year after year! 2-in. writing square on 5-in. high stake, with anchors.

R2925 Pkg. of 25 Plant Markers. (¼ lb.) **1.50**
R2926 Pkg. of 100 Plant Markers. (1 lb.) **5.50**

(E) VIBRA-SEEDER PLANTER

Saves time, work, seed! Ingenious, handy garden tool **electrically** sows those tiny, costly seeds that are so hard to handle! Drops seeds one at a time, if you wish . . . closely or widely spaced! Endorsed by professional growers! Powered by single flashlight battery (incl.).

R2599 Vibra-Seeder. (½ lb.) **3.98**

INDELIBLE GARDEN PENCIL

R2549 Pencils. (¼ lb. per 3) 3 for **60¢**; Doz., **2.00**

(F) JIFFY-GROWER KIT

New easy way to start plants early indoors . . . end transplant set-back! You get 12½x4½" plastic tray, twelve 1¾" sq. Jiffy Pots, plastic germinator bag. Fill pots with vermiculite (included), add 2 or 3 seeds, and insert tray into moisture-holding plastic bag. Later, you can plant pot and all in the garden.

R2900 Jiffy-Grower Kit. (½ lb.) **88¢**

(G) LIFETIME PLANT MARKERS

Durable Heavy-Gauge Plastic Markers

Easy-to-mark, white heavy-gauge plastic labels for marking all garden or house plants, bulbs, shrubs, roses, etc. Permanent, re-usable and easy to read.

1	R2815	2½x8-in. Pkg. of 100.	(1½ lbs.)	5.00
	R2816	2½x8-in. Pkg. of 500.	(7 lbs.)	21.00
2	R2809	2x5-in. Pkg. of 100.	(1 lb.)	2.75
	R2810	2x5-in. Pkg. of 500.	(4 lbs.)	11.00
3	R2806	4½-in. Pkg. of 100.	(½ lb.)	1.25
	R2807	4½-in. Pkg. of 500.	(2½ lbs.)	5.50
4	R2812	6-in. Pkg. of 100.	(1 lb.)	2.25
	R2813	6-in. Pkg. of 500.	(4 lbs.)	10.00

1x2-in. Tie on with copper wires included.

5	R2818	Pkg. of 100.	(1 lb.)	2.00
	R2819	Pkg. of 500.	(3½ lbs.)	9.00

(H) NEW! JUMBO JIFFY-GRO KIT

Perfect plant starter for the serious home gardener! You get 36 2¼" Jiffy-Pots in break-a-way strips, a large 11x22" seed flat plastic tray, and a poly bag for quick seed germination. The seed flat tray is re-usable.

R2901 Jumbo Jiffy-Gro Kit. (1¾ lbs.) **2.79**

(I) START SEEDS EARLY WITH SPEEDY FERTL-CUBES

NEW! Amazing 1" cubes of fibrous organic plant food — each block of 20 in its own bright, colorful plastic tray — speed germination of seedlings — give them hardy, vigorous roots! Some are actually ready for transplant within 5 days! Material holds tremendous amount of water — without crumbling! Equally effective for indoor or outdoor planting! So easy to use . . . germinate blocks right in their trays, in individual pots or in garden. No setback at transplanting time — put cube and all into your garden!

R3421 40 Fertl-Cubes. (½ lb.) **2.00**
R3422 100 Fertl-Cubes. (1 lb.) **4.50**
R3423 540 Fertl-Cubes. (7 lbs.) **17.50**
R3424 1080 Fertl-Cubes. (12 lbs.) **25.00**

PRE-PLANT FERTL CUBES

The famous, handy Fertl-Cubes — preplanted for your convenience! Just add water — they're guaranteed to grow! Save with 100-cube economy size.

Breck's Early Red Hybrid Tomato

R3426 40 Cubes (Guar. 25 plants). (½ lb.) **2.98**
R3427 100 Cubes (Guar. 65 plants). (1 lb.) **6.49**

Breck's Winsall Hybrid Tomato

R3428 40 Cubes (Guar. 25 plants). (½ lb.) **2.98**
R3429 100 Cubes (Guar. 65 plants). (1 lb.) **6.49**

INDELIBLE BALL POINT PEN

For garden labels! Permanently inscribes names of flowers legibly . . . never wipes off!

R2551 Indelible Pen. (¼ lb. set) 3 for **1.00**

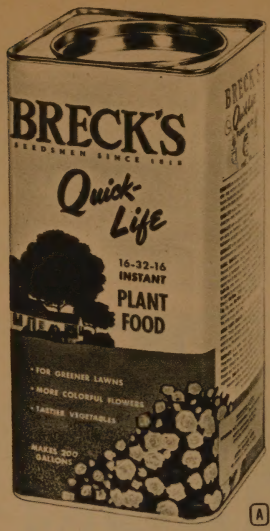
Breck's Quick-Life

Instant Plant Food For All Plants!

R2133 1½ lbs. (Sh. wt. 1½ lbs.) **1.95**

R2134 5 lbs. (Sh. wt. 5 lbs.) **4.50**

R2135X 25 lbs. Economy Size (Ex. Coll.) **17.95**



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(A) Quicker — Safer — Easier — Economical!

Keep lawns green, produce bigger and better flowers and vegetables — the easy way! A regular program will show outstanding results in your garden! All plants require food, and Quick-Life is the safe, easy, economical way to supply their needs. A special wetting agent helps plants absorb food through leaves, as well as roots. Soak plants in Quick-Life solution while transplanting. You'll be amazed to see them take hold and start to grow at once! Feed as you water, for instant action, and watch your garden and lawn grow more beautiful right under your eyes! 1 tablespoon makes 1 gallon.

B

C

(B) TRIGGER SPRAY
Sprays Any Liquid With Aerosol Action!

Now you can spray any liquid with aerosol-type action — and save the expense of costly aerosol cans! Just fill the lightweight, unbreakable, see-through plastic container with any sprayable liquid . . . squeeze the trigger-handle to produce a fine, billowing, mist-like cloud of spray! It's ideal for saturation spraying of insecticides, weed killers, other garden chemicals . . . or for spot treatments. Convenient markings let you fill it with any amount of liquid desired, up to 1 quart. Handy, too, for use with window cleaners, starch, household insecticides or deodorizers, or as an ironing-time clothes sprinkler.

R2836 Trigger Spray. (½ lb.) **2.19**

(H) CLEAN THUMB TRANSPLANTER

Transplant your seedlings quickly and easily! Ingenious and handy tool cuts a hole for small plants, then lifts plant from flat and deposits it in hole without disturbing roots. Made of painted steel, 5½" long.

R2608 Transplanter. (½ lb.) **1.00**

(C) FERTO POTS — NATURAL COW MANURE
Start Seedlings Best!

The best and easiest way to start seeds or cuttings is by planting them directly into Ferto Pots — made of rich organic material with no chemicals added — entirely odorless! When the plant is ready to set out, you simply put the pot and all right in the ground — without plant setback! Shipped bone dry, they're clean and easy to handle. As pots slowly break down, plant roots eat right through them, absorbing valuable foods. Use as liners for clay pots.

Pkg. No.	Size	Pkg. Quan.	Sh. wt. Pkg.	Price
R2570	2-in.	12	½	50¢
R2571L	2-in.	100	5	2.75
R2573L	2-in.	250	11	4.75
R2574	2½-in.	12	1	60¢
R2575L	2½-in.	100	8	3.00
R2577L	2½-in.	250	18	5.25
R2578	3-in.	12	1½	75¢
R2579L	3-in.	100	11	3.50
R2581X	3-in.	250	28 Ex. Coll.	6.00

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Walk-Along Row Seeder

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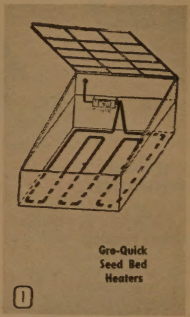

Gro-Quick Seed Bed Heaters

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(D) WALK-ALONG ROW SEEDER

No more stopping, kneeling or crawling when you sow seed! This handy metal tool with its 40" long handle lets you plant vegetable seed without backbreaking bending! Just load the container, set dial to proper seed opening — and **walk upright** to sow seed evenly and accurately! It practically eliminates the need for thinning! Saves you time and money — measures "just right" amount of seed for highest production! Can also be used as "side-row" fertilizer spreader! Dial has easy-to-read calibrations for all common vegetable seeds. Solid metal axle bearing. Rubber-grip handle.

R2560L Walk-Along Seeder. (4 lbs.) **4.95**

(E) HOTKAPS SEEDLING SHIELDS

Protective bad-weather shields guard delicate seedlings from frost, storms and insects . . . let you plant them weeks earlier! Sunshine penetrates these translucent Glastex domes . . . cold doesn't! Setter is included for quick application.

R2920 Hotkaps, Pkg. of 20. (1 lb.) **1.10**
R2921L Hotkaps, Pkg. of 100. (4 lbs.) **4.80**
R2922L Hotkaps, Pkg. of 250. (8 lbs.) **7.95**

(F) STARTER JIFFY-POTS

Set growth weeks ahead! Enjoy bigger plants, bulbs, cuttings faster . . . earlier, longer-lasting blooms! Start plants indoors in sterile, odorless, compressed peat Jiffy-Pots that contain nourishing plant nutrients, feed them directly to roots! No transplant setback — put pot and all in ground.

R2902 Pkg. of 12, 2¼". (¼ lb.) **44¢**
R2903 Pkg. of 24, 2¼". (½ lb.) **77¢**
R2904 Pkg. of 50, 2¼". (¾ lb.) **1.59**
R2905 Pkg. of 100, 2¼". (1½ lb.) **2.66**
R2907 Pkg. of 12, 3". (½ lb.) **69¢**
R2908 Pkg. of 50, 3". (1¼ lb.) **2.39**
R2909 Pkg. of 100, 3". (2½ lb.) **3.89**

(I) HOTBED HEATER
Gro-Quick Seed Bed Heaters

Make hotbeds out of cold frames! Keep tender plants from freezing! Uses ordinary household current. Comes with built-in 70° fixed temperature thermostat.

R2662 Heater. 34-ft. 114W for 12 sq. ft. bed. (¼ lb.) **4.95**
R2663 Heater. 49-ft. 160W for 18 sq. ft. bed. (½ lb.) **6.45**
R2664 Cable only. 6-ft. 15W. (No therm.) (¼ lb.) **1.95**

(G) BRECK'S AIRWRAP KITS
Start Your Own Shrubs!

Now anyone can easily root dozens of trees, shrubs, plants, in 2 to 8 weeks! Easy-to-use kit contains 8 hormone-treated Vinylite plastic wraps, ties and a generous supply of sphagnum moss, complete with full instructions. You can root expensive trees and shrubs outdoors, or root cuttings from your favorite house plants indoors!

R2603 Airwrap Kit. (¾ lb.) **2.25**

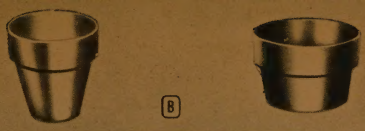
ADDITIONAL AIRWRAP PLASTIC

R2604 Airwrap propagating Vinylite **plastic** to supplement kit above, enough for starting 30 new plants. (½ lb.) **2.25**

(J) PLANT BANDS

Save time, money, plants with marvelous plant bands that save space by fitting compactly into flats or any rectangular container. Coated with a nutrient to nourish young seedlings, promote growth! Just plant band and all into ground . . . no root disturbance, no setback!

R2556 Bands, 1¾x2½". (1 lb.) 100 for **85¢**
R2557 Bands, 2x2½". (1 lb.) 100 for **90¢**
R2558 Bands, 3x3". (1½ lb.) 100 for **1.20**



(A) LITE-RITE WINDOW PLANT SHELVES

Display Plants Or Glassware

Here's a charming way to display your indoor plants while giving them healthful "greenhouse" light! These smart black or gleaming brass shelves, 4⅜-in. wide, install easily . . . keep your plants in even, growth-giving sunlight. For conventional, Colonial or modern windows.

Standard Set includes two shelves (22 in. and 26 in. long) and four brackets (two 12 in. and two 22 in.).

Picture Window Set has two shelves (30 in. and 34 in. long) with 4 brackets (two 12 in. and two 22 in.).

R2830L	Standard Set, Black.	(4 lbs.)	6.95
R2831L	Standard Set, Brass.	(4 lbs.)	7.95
R2832L	Picture Window Set, Black.	(5 lbs.)	8.95
R2833L	Picture Window Set, Brass.	(5 lbs.)	9.95

(G) SOIL TEST KITS

So Easy To Use!

Find out what your gardening soil contains or lacks without waiting for a government lab report! You can do it yourself with our Sudbury Soil-Test Kits! They'll easily, quickly tell you what and how much fertilizer and lime your soil needs. No chemistry degree needed . . . anyone can follow the simple instructions included.

R2591	pH Acidity Kit.	(½ lb.)	98¢
R2590	"Acidit" Acidity Kit.	(½ lb.)	1.98
R2592	Home Kit. 20 tests.	(1½ lbs.)	3.98
R2594	Popular Kit. 50 tests.	(2½ lbs.)	6.98
R2595	Green Thumb Kit. 75 tests.	(3½ lbs.)	9.98
R2596	Princess Kit. 100 tests.	(7 lbs.)	18.98

(B) PLASTIC FLOWER POTS

- **Easy To Clean!**
- **Require Less Watering!**
- **Best For Plants!**

Tough, unbreakable, easy-to-clean pots that don't harbor bacteria and disease like clay pots. Every size has 3 drainage holes for better root growth. Lightweight, easy to handle plastic pots require less watering than clay pots, hold a steady supply for your prized plants. Three types available — in all popular sizes — marbleized colors only.

African Violet Pans

		Wt. per 12	12	25
R2750	3 in. Pan.	(1½ lbs.)	75¢	1.50
R2751	4 in. Pan.	(1½ lbs.)	1.00	2.00

Standard Pots

R2755	2½ in. Pot.	(½ lb.)	50¢	1.00
R2756	3 in. Pot.	(1 lb.)	75¢	1.50
R2757	4 in. Pot.	(2 lbs.)	1.00	2.00
R2758	5 in. Pot.	(2½ lbs.)	2.00	4.00
		Wt. per 3	3	12
R2759	6 in. Pot.	(1 lb.)	85¢	3.00
R2760	8 in. Pot.	(2 lbs.)	2.00	7.00
R2761	10 in. Pot.	(4 lbs.)	4.00	14.00

Bulb Pans

R2745	6 in. Pan.	(1½ lbs.)	85¢	3.00
R2746	8 in. Pan.	(1½ lbs.)	1.70	6.00
R2747	10 in. Pan.	(2½ lbs.)	2.50	9.00

(D) IN-THE-ROW GREENHOUSE

Simple! Practical! So wonderful for early blooms and vegetables! In-The-Row Greenhouse comes complete with preformed wire wickets, correct length of transparent plastic with built-in ventilating openings, clamps to keep vents open, and instructions. Covers seedlings or full-grown plants to protect from wind, rain, temperatures down to 25° . . . even lower for some plants. Lets in the warm sun, keeps out the cold!

R2677L	Greenhouse, 5 ft.x12x12 in.	(1 lb.)	1.95
R2678L	Greenhouse, 25 ft.x12x12 in.	(3 lbs.)	4.95
R2679L	Greenhouse, 25 ft.x2x1½ ft. high	(5 lbs.)	7.50

USE ROOTONE & TRANSPLANTONE

For Earlier, Bigger Plants!

(E) ROOTONE

Work wonders with your cuttings — dip the tips in Rootone before you put them in the soil. Helps roots form like magic! It works wonders with African Violets, shrubs, evergreens.

R3410	Rootone, ¼-oz. Pkg.	(¼ lb.)	35¢
R3411	Rootone, 2-oz. Pkg.	(¼ lb.)	1.25
R3412	Rootone, 1-lb. Pkg.	(1 lb.)	5.00

(F) TRANSPLANTONE

Don't let transplanted plants lose time by wilting! Better gardeners use Transplantone. Not only reduces wilt, but improves the root system for bigger, better, healthier plants. (Use ½ oz. to 5 gals. of water.)

R3414	Transplantone, ½-oz. Pkg.	(¼ lb.)	35¢
R3415	Transplantone, 3-oz. Pkg.	(¼ lb.)	1.25
R3416	Transplantone, 1-lb. Pkg.	(1 lb.)	4.00

(C) INDOOR GREENHOUSE

- **For Year-Round Gardening!**
- **Grow Prize-Winning African Violets!**
- **Controlled Lighting and Humidity!**

At last! A practical greenhouse that has everything you need to grow healthy, blooming plants in your own home. Controlled lighting, watering and humidity make it ideal for African Violets, Orchids, many other plants! 2x1½x2 ft. high. Glass-clear vinyl plastic, mounted on non-rusting aluminum frame, covers a 22x11-in. leak-proof polystyrene tray supported by metal stand. Watered constantly and evenly by 2 glass wicks feeding from 4x8-in. reservoir under the stand. Lightweight and easy to assemble.

R2650L	Indoor Greenhouse.	(9 lbs.)	14.95
R2651L	Fluorescent Light, 18 inches. Provides artificial sunshine.	(6 lbs.)	8.95
R2652	Daily Repeat Timer. Turns light off and on automatically. Provides the correct balance of light and darkness for best blooms.	(2 lbs.)	9.95

COMPLETE COMBINATION

R2649L	Greenhouse, Light, Timer.	(17 lbs.)	31.95

(I) FERNWOOD PLANT POLES

Natural Hawaiian fernwood, cut and shaped into perfect plant poles for your prized philodendron and other climbing plants. Just set the pole into any pot and train the vine around it, holding the stem with easy-to-use plant pins.

R2400	Fernwood Pole, 1½x18 in.	(½ lb.)	69¢
R2401	Fernwood Pole, 1½x24 in.	(¾ lb.)	89¢
R2402	Fernwood Pole, 2x36 in.	(1 lb.)	1.98
R2403	Pkg. of 40 Plant Pins.	(¼ lb.)	25¢

(H) RUBBER PLANT SAUCERS

Non-scratching, non-marring synthetic rubber saucers. Moisture-proof, unbreakable; last a lifetime. Special design allows for moisture under the pot, to help provide needed humidity.

R2565	Green, 3⅜ in. (¼ lb.) Ea. 15¢; doz.	(½ lb.)	1.60
R2566	Green, 5⅛ in. (¼ lb.) Ea. 25¢; doz.	(1 lb.)	2.50
R2567	Green, 7⅝ in. (¼ lb.) Ea. 50¢; doz.	(1½ lb.)	5.00
R2410	White, 3⅜ in. (¼ lb.) Ea. 15¢; doz.	(½ lb.)	1.60
R2411	White, 5⅛ in. (¼ lb.) Ea. 25¢; doz.	(1 lb.)	2.50
R2412	White, 7⅝ in. (¼ lb.) Ea. 50¢; doz.	(1½ lb.)	5.00

Special large sizes for Plant Tubs. Black only.

R2416	Tub Saucer, Black. 10⅜ in. diam.	(1 lb.)	1.39
R2417	Tub Saucer, Black. 12¼ in. diam.	(1½ lb.)	2.75
R2418	Tub Saucer, Black. 14½ in. diam.	(2½ lb.)	3.98

(K) BRECK'S FORCING FRAME

Sturdy, 4½x3-ft. all lifetime redwood cold frame with three 36x18xin. sash and sturdy frame assembles and dismantles in 3 minutes, using 8 non-rusting brass bolts. Sash covered with clear 'Sisal-Glaze' plastic opens 4 ways for all-weather ventilation. Stores in little space for off season.

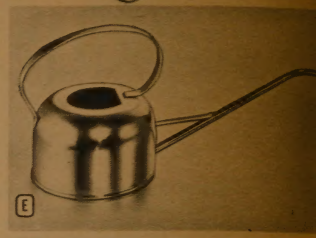
R2656X	Forcing Frame.	(Express Collect 20 lbs.)	23.95

(J) REDWOOD FINISH PORTA-TUBS

Handsome • Waterproof • Practical

Beautiful, lightweight Plant Tubs to dress up your porch, patio or conservatory — in sun-resistant, non-fading, handsome, redwood-color plastic. These sturdy, well-built Tubs are completely waterproof, of course, and will enhance the beauty of philodendrons, ferns, palms and evergreens. Filled with Begonias, they make colorful accents in shady corners — may be filled with Marigolds, Petunias, other flowering plants.

R2917	Porta-Tub, 12-in. diam.	(1¼ lbs.)	3.39
R2918	Porta-Tub, 16-in. diam.	(2½ lbs.)	4.98



(A) PORTABLE ELECTRIC GREENHOUSE

Just imagine — now you can grow exotic flowers such as orchids and miniature roses — raise handsome, cheery winter bulbs or grow an exotic herb garden — right in your own home, any time of year! This handsome, portable greenhouse with new moisture-minder vents and automatic heat control gives seeds, root cuttings, all plantings a faster, healthier head start in life! So easy to use — just plant, water and plug in — watch nature and science do all the work! Seeds actually germinate in as few as 2 days — and you can transplant right from your greenhouse to your garden . . . or to home planters. Saves you money, too, by preventing seedling loss. Comes with 4 reusable plastic planting trays, cord, special planting medium, plus detailed instruction booklet covering all phases of plant growth. One-piece, crystal-clear styrene cover and molded base makes easy cleaning, 20x11x16" high.

R4179 Portable Electric Greenhouse. (10 lbs.) **19.95**

(C) NEW ADJUSTABLE GROWING LAMP

A must for earlier, stronger, better growth for all your seedlings, cuttings and prize plants! Scientific experiments recently undertaken have proved without a doubt that seeds sprout earlier, seedlings and plants produce the darkest green and healthiest growth, when raised **directly under controlled lights!** Now you can grow the same gorgeous, strong, healthy plants that professionals produce — in any convenient place, without natural light! This new canopy-top Growing Lamp is fully adjustable — and designed to blend with any decor, whether contemporary or traditional. The black wrought iron **top is easily raised or lowered** from 1" to 18½" (for tall, short or growing seedlings) on tubular aluminum legs . . . allowing for complete freedom of action and choice of light intensity. Top is 12 in. wide, 28" long. Two 20-watt fluorescent tubes are included with this handsome adjustable Growing Lamp.

R2668L Jr. Adjustable Growing Lamp. (13 lbs.) **19.75**

(B) ILLUMINATED WALL PLANT SHELF

Now you can show off your loveliest plants all-in-a-row as a decorative, living accent on any wall — yet ensure their blooming and healthful beauty with a constant supply of growth-producing light! Handsome black metal shelf is 26" long, 7" wide, 18" high overall; takes one 20-watt fluorescent tube (not included). Attractive scrolled brackets let you hang it anywhere . . . an intriguing furnishing for displaying prized African violets, colorful coleus and charming begonia plants. Uniquely-different, thoughtful gift for plant lovers!

R2704L Illuminated Wall-Hanging Plant Shelf. (9 lbs.) **12.95**

(J) INSTANT AFRICAN VIOLET DROPS

Liquid Plantdrops stimulate a profusion of glorious, constant blooms on your prize violets! So easy to use — just apply directly to soil with **built-in dropper.** Ensures correct dosage — eliminates leaf damage from messy mixtures!

R3377 African Violet Drops, 4-oz. (½ lb.) **59¢**

(D) WATER 'N WATCH INDOOR PLANTER

For folks with "green-thumb-itis" — even in winter's coldest days! You'll have a touch of Spring in your heart, as well as your home, with this ready-to-grow indoor garden! The copper-bronze plastic planter, 3x3x9", is sown with freshly harvested seeds. Just add water in special planter tray — sit back — watch your garden grow into a profusion of wondrous blooms! Ventilated plastic dome. Educational fun for children, too! Instr.

R3971 African Violet. (1½ lbs.) **3.50**
R3972 Amaryllis. (1½ lbs.) **3.50**
R3973 Rex Begonia. (1½ lbs.) **3.50**
R3974 Flowering Begonia. (1½ lbs.) **3.50**
R3975 Gloxinia. (1½ lbs.) **3.50**
R3976 Surprise Garden. (1½ lbs.) **3.50**

(E) COPPER WATERING POT

Golden as sunlight — and guaranteed to put a gleam in the eye of the lucky plant lover who receives it! Gracefully curved, 10-in. long brass spout lets her reach those hard-to-get-at places beneath foliage with ease — protects precious violets from water-spotting. Smoothly rounded brass handle ensures comfortable, easy pouring! Over-generous size (1½ qts.) helps her to get watering done quickly, efficiently, without constant refilling! Ideal, too, for outdoor hanging plants. Heavy solid copper body with permanent lacquer finish makes it a joy to look at, a joy to use! Makes a very special hostess gift — adds a gleaming, decorative touch to any room.

R2711 Copper Watering Pot. (1¼ lbs.) **4.98**

(F) "NURSE MAIDS" WATER PLANTS AUTOMATICALLY

Now your prized house plants can "live alone and like it"! These amazing plant nursemaids water your plants **automatically** — 24 hours a day for up to 8 weeks — while you're away from home! Simply insert plastic end in soil, other end in jar of water — capillary action controls moisture, keeps plants hale and hearty! Wicks are spun glass and plastic — they last indefinitely, never rot or mildew. Plant food may be added directly to jar of water. Ideal solution for plants during vacations or for "between weekend" care at the summer cottage.

R8856 Nursemaid. (¼ lb.) Set of 4, **98¢**

(G) CENTROSPRAY

Handy 2-in-1 gardener's **sprinkler and powder duster** performs countless useful jobs! Ingenious bulb has **2 sprayheads** which insert directly in bulb or at end of tube. **Water sprinkling sprayhead** is the double disc agitator-type which produces gentle spray for showering seedlings, flowers, etc. **Dusting sprayhead** is specially designed for insecticide powders. Long, curving plastic tube reaches under leaves — gives controlled, gentle spraying — or solid stream, if desired. Use, too, for sprinkling clothes! Holds 8 oz.

R2912 Centrospray. (½ lb.) **1.29**

(H) SUNSHINE PLANT SHELF

Doubles the capacity of your flowering window garden, and lifts plants into the sun and light! Attractive ivory-enameled, all-metal shelving is 4 inches wide and adjusts from 24 to 39 inches to fit alnost any window. At the center window lock level, shelf slides into position **without screws;** at the window-sill, or any other height, it hooks into the side plates which are provided. Does not interfere with curtains or draperies. For a galaxy of color and beauty, add two or three shelves per window — see for yourself the charm they bring to any room! Effective, too, for giving seeds, root cuttings, plantings a quick start at the most advantageous light.

R2166L Shelf. (2½ lbs.) **2.95** ea.; 2 for **5.70**

(I) INSTANT PLANT FOOD DROPS

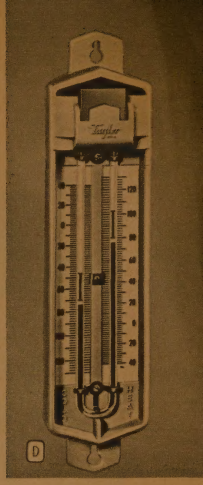
Liquid Plantdrops encourage blooms and healthy foliage on all your plants. Unbreakable bottle with **built-in dropper** dispenses directly to soil. Easy to use — no mess, waste, mixing!

R3378 Plant Food Drops, 4-oz. (½ lb.) **59¢**

(K) STAINLESS STEEL HOUSE PLANT TOOL SET

Handsome, **miniature 7" trowel and fork** set will delight every window-box and flowerpot gardener! They'll apply fertilizer to their favorite plant with the tiny spade . . . then cultivate soil with the two-pronged fork! Absolutely ingenious for coping with such challenging house plants as cactus, African violet, succulents, etc. Attractively boxed set is made of highly polished, heavy-gauge English stainless steel. Marvelous as a conversation piece.

R2421 House Plant Tool Set. (½ lb.) **3.95**



ABUTILON
Flowering Maple or Chinese Bell Flower.
F0028 Mixed Colors. 2½-3 ft. An interesting plant with foliage resembling the maple leaf. Bell-shaped flowers come in pastel shades of red, pink, yellow and white. Easily grown from seed. Allow 2 to 3 weeks for seed to start.
Pkt. **35¢**

AFRICAN VIOLETS
F4145 Seed collected from choice named varieties, including blues, purples, mauves, lavender, etc. (Illustration G)
Pkt. **75¢**

ANTIRRHINUMS *Snapdragons*
Seed sown in January and February will flower in May and June. Sow in July for flowering from December through March. The following are tall, strong growing Fl Hybrids. 2½-3 ft.
F0337 Hybrid Formula Mixture
Pkt. **2.50**

BEGONIA *Semperflorens*
F0819 8-10 in. Imported mixture contains many charming colors from pure white through pinks and rose to crimson. (Illustration H) Pkt. **35¢**

BROWALLIA
F0865 Speciosa major. 1 ft. Rich gentian-violet flowers, like miniature Petunias. Pkt. **50¢**

CACTUS
F0867 Here's a fascinating hobby! Intriguing mixture of rare and unusual cacti has many strange and extraordinary varieties, as well as more commonly seen types! Easily grown from seed. Germination irregular, over a period of 2 to 6 weeks. Instructions. (Illustration I) Pkt **35¢**

CALCEOLARIA
F0868 Breck's Prize Mixed. 12-15 in. An outstanding large flowered strain. Shades of yellow, maroon, crimson, etc. Pkt. **1.00**

CINERARIA
F1350 Breck's Dwarf Mixed. 8-10 in. Medium-sized flowers in large heads on compact plants. Bright to pastel shades.
Pkt. **1.00**

COLEUS *Beef Steak Plant*
F1422 Mixture (Color illus. E., p. 14)

CROSSANDRA
F1500 1 ft. Glossy Gardenia-like foliage with attractive, clear salmon-pink flowers. Spring-sown seed makes large plants for fall and winter bloom.
Pkt. **1.00**

(A) HANG-A-POT FLOWER POT HOLDERS
Safe, concealed supports, easily attached, display plants attractively in your greenhouse, home or outdoors. Pots are easily removed for watering. Sturdy metal. Hold pots up to 7-in. diam.
R2532 Hang-A-Pot Flower Pot Holders. (½ lb.) Set of 3, **1.00**

(B) AFRICAN VIOLET SPRAY
Keeps **African Violets and all house plants** healthy, free of destructive insects. Just press the button and an insect-killing mist covers plants, killing mealy bugs, aphids, white flies, etc.
R2075 African Violet & Plant Spray, 5½-oz. (½ lb.) **98¢**

(C) AFRICAN VIOLET FOOD
Soluble, easy to use plant food, specially formulated for African Violets, puts them in vigorous, flower-show worthy condition! Produces more flowers and better foliage.
R3361 African Violet Food, 4-oz. (¼ lb.) **49¢**

ELECTRA—5-10-3 The Fertilizer Florists Use!
Perfectly balanced, organic — provides uniform growth and color.
R3364 Electra Plant Fertilizer, 12-oz. (Wt. 1 lb.) **50¢**
R3365 Electra Plant Fertilizer, 5 lb. (Wt. 5 lbs.) **1.25**
R3366 Electra Plant Fertilizer, 20 lb. (Wt. 20 lbs.) **3.75**

(D) GREENHOUSE THERMOMETER
Registers 3 temperatures — present reading, plus lowest and highest readings since last setting. Accurate, durable, easily read. 11½x2½ in. Range 30°-120°F. Resets easily with magnet included.
R2785 Taylor M-M Greenhouse Thermometer. (1 lb.) **12.95**

"GREENHOUSE GARDENING" BOOK
Complete, revised book by expert Ernest Chabot tells how to grow plants under glass, in cold frame; have more beautiful flowers all year from seeds, cuttings, bulbs! 252 pages, illus.; many charts, tables.
R1902 "Greenhouse Gardening" Book. (1½ lbs.) **4.75**

BRECK'S HOUSE PLANT COLLECTION!
An interesting selection! 1 pkt. each
Abutilon **Begonia**
Coleus **Geranium** **Impatiens**
No. F2232
1.90 VALUE **1.50**

CYCLAMEN
Breck's Giant Strain. Flowers of superb size and perfect form, held above ornamental foliage. 1 ft.
F1530 Mixed Colors. (Illus. J) Pkt. **75¢**

FUCHSIA
F1865 Single and Double Mixed. One of the few bright, showy flowers that bloom in partial shade. Start indoors early for first-year bloom, sowing the seed thinly. (Illus. E) Pkt. **35¢**

GERANIUM
F1941 Special Blend. 1 to 2 ft. Finest European varieties; wide range of colors. Germinates irregularly for 2 months. (Illus. F) Pkt. **35¢**

IMPATIENS *Patient Lucy*
F2228 New Dwarf Varieties Mixed. 6 to 8 in. Exceptionally free-flowering strain for pots or shaded gardens. Blooms mid-summer on. Has soft as well as bright shades, from white and buff to pink, carmine, orchid. Pkt. **50¢**

PASSION VINE
F2890 Passiflora coerulea. 10 ft. An exotic, 3-dimensional flower! Bottom row of petals is similar to Magnolia, the second quilled and incurved, and the center raised in intricate forms. Blue with white petals. Pkt. **35¢**

SENSITIVE PLANT
F2673 Mimosa. 1 ft. Pretty little clusters of fluffy pink flowers. Touch the delicate fern-like foliage and watch it close tightly. Germination is irregular from 10 to 20 days. Pkt. **35¢**

TINY TIM TOMATO — See Page 33

Inscription on Water Pitcher

Presented to Hon. Joseph Breck by the Massachusetts Horticultural Society as a token of their esteem, and their just appreciation of the fidelity with which he discharged the duties of PRESIDENT, during the last Four Years. Boston, January 1863

BRECK'S OF BOSTON

SEEDMEN SINCE 1818
BOSTON 10, MASS.

Dear Gardening Friend:

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Luther A. Breck

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Breck's seeds are your best buy! Think of it! A single low-cost packet of seeds will produce an abundance of your favorite flower or a season's supply of your favorite vegetable! Where else can you get so much for so little?

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ANNUAL — Continuous bloom for one year.

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BIENNIAL — A two year plant — blooms the second year after sowing seed.

GREENHOUSE — Good for indoor use — make good house plants. See page 9 for special list.

(A) ACROCLINIUM *Annual—Everlasting*

F0043 Sensation Giants, Mixed. 2 ft. Inch-wide, Daisy-like flowers in pink, rose shades and white. Cut before fully open, dry for winter bouquets. (Illustrated at left) Pkt. **25¢**

AFRICAN VIOLETS — See page 9.

AGERATUM *Annual*

F0060 Blue Mink. (Color illus. D, page 11)

F0073 Blue Perfection. 18 in. Dark blue. Fine for bedding. Pkt. **25¢**

F0085 Midget Blue. AAS. 4-in. Dense spreading plants covered with clear azure-blue flowers. Uniformly dwarf. Pkt. **25¢**; 1/16 oz. **1.00**

AGROSTEMMA *Perennial*

F0090 Coronaria. 1½ ft. Blood-red single blooms in great profusion with white, woolly foliage. Pkt. **25¢**

AMARANTHUS *Annual*

F0145 Molten Fire. (Color illus. E, page 11)

F0144 Rising Sun (Aurora). 18 in. NEW! An unusual plant with all of its color in the foliage. Leaves are mottled and striped with brilliant yellow, pink, red, green colors. Pkt. **35¢**

AMARYLLIS

F0150 Man from Mars. NEW for '63! Beautiful, big, velvety-red flowers, as large as 9 in. across. Produces bulbs and will flower as early as second year — and, of course, for many years afterwards. Easy to grow. Complete instructions. Pkt. (10 seeds) **1.00**

ANGEL'S TRUMPET — Datura *Annual*

3 ft. Bushy plants covered with large, fragrant, trumpet-shaped, Lily-like flowers from July to frost. Foliage is soft grey-green.

(B) F1570 Wrightii. Fragrant white trumpets with rosy lavender flush outside. (Illus.) Pkt. **25¢**

ANTHEMIS — Golden Marguerite, see page 16.

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(A) ROCKET SNAPDRAGONS

AAS. NEW, strong-growing, well branched F1 hybrids! Ruffled. 3 ft.

F0281 Lavender
F0284 Pink
F0287 Rose
F0291 Yellow
F0283 Orange
F0285 Red
F0289 White
F0293 Mixed

Pkt. 50¢ each

(B) TORCH SNAPDRAGON

F0254 36 in. NEW for '63! A new color and a new class of Snapdragons. Long, fiery, spectrum-red, poker-like spikes that burst into bloom two weeks earlier than the Rockets.

Pkt. 75¢

(C) SCARLET PIMPERNEL ASTER

F0665 3 ft. NEW! Huge, brilliant scarlet, crested and frilled flowers. The reddest of all Asters. Dozens of long, strong-stemmed blooms for cut-flowers and colorful arrangements.

Pkt. 35¢

(D) BLUE MINK AGERATUM

F0060 6 in. Hybrid Ageratum with bushy, uniform plants and big, fluffy powder-blue flowers. Gorgeous edging with Spun Gold or Lemon Drop Marigolds.

Pkt. 25¢

(E) MOLTEN FIRE AMARANTHUS

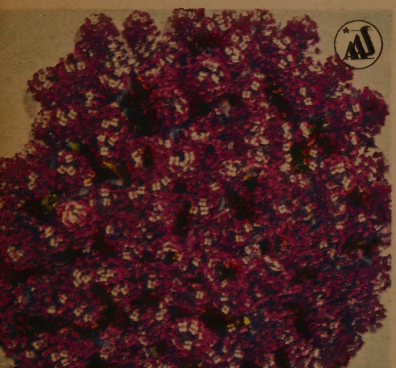
F0145 3 ft. Bronze foliage, topped with fiery scarlet—for brilliant all-summer color. Your friends will be thrilled by these Poinsettia-like plants — so striking and so easy to grow!

Pkt. 25¢

(F) ROSIE O'DAY ALYSSUM

F0107 AAS Silver Medal. 4 in. Colorful, fragrant, quick growing! Blooms in less than 2 months. Bright, deep-rose edging for flower beds. Effective with white. 1/16 oz. 1.25

Pkt. 35¢



(G) ROYAL CARPET ALYSSUM

F0114 AAS Silver Medal. 3 in. Large clusters of fragrant, deep purple flowers completely cover these 10 in. wide plants. Easy to grow. Blooms all summer. 1/8 oz. 1.25

Pkt. 35¢

(H) POWDERPUFF ASTER

F0675 2 ft. Up to twenty 3 in., fully double, quilled and crested blooms open at once. Every plant a bouquet of pink, blue, purple, rose or white. Wilt resistant. 1/8 oz. 1.25

Pkt. 25¢

(I) VANGUARD DOUBLE SNAPDRAGON

F0294 AAS Bronze Medal. 3 ft. Glamorous, sensational, fragrant! Long spires of exotic, gracefully ruffled pink flowers with soft yellow shadings.

Pkt. 100

(A) F0658 Princess Goldilocks Aster

(B) F0215 Love Letters Snapdragon

(C) F0440 African Daisy

Colorful ASTERS

Versatile beauties for gardens and bouquets!

(D) F0500 Blue Peony Aster

(E) F0535 Super Giant Aster

NEW SUPER GIANT

The largest and most spectacular of all Asters! Beautiful cut flowers with wiry, 24-in. stems and huge, 4½-in. ostrich-feather flowers. Blooms mid-August to frost. Wilt resistant. 2 to 2½ ft. (See illustration E)

F0520 Beverly Hills. Azure-blue.
F0523 El Monte. AAS. Bright crimson.
F0525 Hollywood. Pure white.
F0527 Los Angeles. AAS. Shell pink.
F0528 Palm Springs. Rose.
F0529 Pasadena. Peach-blossom pink.
F0531 Santa Barbara. Gorgeous purple.
F0535 Mixed Colors.
Above Pkts. **25¢** each

SUPER GIANT ASTER TRIO

Three lovely shades — 1 pkt. each:
Hollywood white — **Beverly Hills** azure blue — **Palm Springs** rose

Order Group No. F0537 — 75¢ VALUE! — **60c**

SINGLE BRANCHING ASTERS

F0680 Mixed Colors. 2 ft. Gorgeous for cut flowers or annual borders. Enchanting single flowers in a wide range of colors, including deep rose, apple blossom white, pale blue and deep violet, all with yellow centers. Flowers from early August to frost. Pkt. **25¢**

BLUE PEONY ASTER

F0500 2 ft. A magnificent new Aster producing large, azure-blue, Peony-shaped flowers up to 5 in. across with attractively in-curved petals. Outstanding, very double blooms on long, strong stems. Spectacular in masses or for cutting. Blooms all summer. (Illus. D) Pkt. **35¢**

"PRINCESS" GROUP

NEW August-blooming type with 3 to 3½ in. flowers which have golden yellow crested and quilled centers. Wilt-resistant. 2 to 3 ft.
F0658 Goldilocks. Finest yellow Aster ever offered! Clear, spun-gold. (See illustration A) Pkt. **25¢**
F0662 Finest Mixed. Many lovely colors. Pkt. **25¢**
F0665 Scarlet Pimpernel. (Color illus. C, page 11)

PRINCESS COLLECTION

6 beautiful colors—1 pkt. each:
Azure Blue, Rose Pink, Mid Blue, Scarlet, Peach Blossom, White

Order Group No. F0685 — 1.50 VALUE! — **1.25**

EARLY GIANT ASTER

Earliest Aster for long-stemmed cut flowers that last — starts blooming in July! Extra-large blossoms filled to center with broad, graceful petals, daintily plumed. Beautiful pinks, blues, whites. Wilt resistant. 1½ to 2 ft.
F0571 Mixed Colors. Pkt. **25¢**
F0675 Powderpuff. (Color illus. H, page 11.)

BRECK'S SPECIAL ASTER GARDEN

Six choice colors. 1 pkt. each:
American Beauty Deep Rose, Purple, Super Giant Azure (Beverly Hills), White (Hollywood), Peach (Pasadena), Crimson (El Monte)

Order Group No. F0534 — 1.50 VALUE! — **1.25**

AMERICAN BEAUTY ASTERS

September flowering. Wilt-resistant. Long stems. An old garden favorite. 2½ ft.
F0519 Mixed Colors. Pkt. **25¢**

6 AMERICAN BEAUTY ASTERS

One packet each of the following colors:
Azure Blue, Peach, Deep Rose, Purple, Shell Pink, White

Order Group No. F0503 — 1.50 VALUE! — **1.25**

BURPEEANA EXTRA EARLY ASTERS

Flowers in August, 2 full weeks ahead of other types . . . compact, upright and nicely branched. Double, 3 to 4 in., with attractive in-curved petals. 20 in.

F0545 Finest Mixed. 3 to 4 in. flowers, from snow-white through the pinks to rose, crimson, blues and purples. 20 in. Pkt. **35¢**

ANCHUSA *Annual*

Summer Forget-Me-Not
F0167 Blue Bird. AAS. 1 ft. Compact plants covered with masses of vivid indigo-blue, Forget-Me-Not-like flowers. Pkt. **25¢**

ANCHUSA *Perennial*

F0182 Myosotidiflora. 1 ft. Dwarf. May, June. Clear sky blue. Fine with Tulips. Pkt. **50¢**

AQUILEGA — *See Columbine, page 15.*

ARABIS, Rock Cress *Perennial*

F0437 Alpina, Snow Cap. 8 in. Low, compact plants with masses of small, snow-white flowers in early spring. Pkt. **25¢**

ARCTOTIS *Annual*

Sun-loving plants that bloom all summer and fall. Daisy-like blooms, 2½-3 in. across, cover the plant.
F0440 Grandis (Blue-Eyed African Daisy). 2 ft. Long-stemmed, clear white flowers with mauve centers. Under-surface of petal shaded with lavender. (See illustration C) Pkt. **25¢**
F0445 Hybrids. 10 in. Vigorous, branching plants bearing large single flowers in brilliant yellow, orange, red, salmon and pink shades. Pkt. **25¢**

AUBRIETIA *Perennial*

F0753 Large Flowered Hybrids. 6-7 in. Spring-blooming trailing plants with lavender, rose, violet and purple blooms. Pkt. **25¢**

BALSAM *Annual*

Touch-Me-Not
F0770 Breck's Special Mixture. 18 in. Sturdy spikes lined with dainty blossoms like miniature Camelias in rose, white and red. Lovely annual hedge. Pkt. **25¢**

SWEET ALYSSUM *Annual*

Popular early-flowering, easily grown plants for rock garden or edging beds and borders. Sweetly scented.
F0106 Carpet of Snow. 4 in. Dwarf, compact edging plant completely covered with fragrant white flowers. Gorgeous with Royal Carpet. Pkt. **25¢**; ¼ oz. **50¢**
F0112 Little Gem. 6 in. White. Pkt. **25¢**; ½ oz. **1.25**

F0107 Rosie O'Day. AAS. (Color illus. F, p. 11)
F0114 Royal Carpet. AAS. (Color illus. G, p. 11)

ALYSSUM *Perennial*

Low spreading plants, bearing great masses of fluffy golden yellow blooms in early spring.
F0132 Basket of Gold (Saxatile compactum). 12 in. Brilliant intense golden yellow. Pkt. **25¢**; ¼ oz. **1.35**
F0141 Rock Garden Mixture. Pkt. **25¢**

SNAPDRAGONS *Annual*

Antirrhinum
Snapdragons, Rocket. (Color illus. A, p. 11)
F0294 Double Vanguard. AAS. (Color illus. I, p. 11)
F0254 Torch. (Color illus. B, p. 11)
F0215 Love Letters. 10 to 12 in. Vigorous dwarf plant will produce **dozens** of large flowers. Vivid mixed colors. (Illustration B) Pkt. **50¢**
F0275 Giant Ruffled Tetra Superfine Mixture. 2½ ft. Magnificent new Snapdragons, with tall, strong stalks and giant flowers. All the popular colors. Garden Snapdragons as large as florist types! Pkt. **25¢**

SNAPDRAGON GARDEN

Giant Ruffled Tetra Varieties
6 gorgeous colors, 1 pkt. ea.:
Yellow, Crimson, Rose, Orchid, Pink, White

2.10 VALUE!
Order Group No. F0277 — **1.75**

(A) F1215 Pinwheel Flower

(B) F1715 Blue Lace Flower

(C) F0872 Calendula, Flame Beauty

(D) F0986 Canterbury Bells, Cup and Saucer

(E) F0940 Calliopsis Mixed

(F) F1200 Bachelor's Button

(G) F1032 Candytuft, White Giant

(H) F0889 New Crested Calendula

BASKET FLOWER *Annual*

F1215 Lavender Pinwheel Flower. (Centaurea Americana) 3 ft. Handsome, broad, thistle-like blooms of soft lilac-blue. Very easy to grow. Superb cut-flower. (See illustration A) Pkt. **35¢**

BEGONIA — *See pages 9 and 37.*

BELLS OF IRELAND

F0825 (See color illus. G, page 14)

BACHELOR'S BUTTON (Centaurea Cyanus)

Practically indispensable for borders, cutting garden. Grows anywhere with long-stemmed, fully double flowers all summer. 2 ft. (See illustration F)

F1200 Blue Boy. F1204 Red Boy. F1206 Snow Man. Pkts. **25¢** each

F1208 Mixed. Pkt. **25¢**

F1210 Polka Dot Mixture. 15-17 in. NEW! Bushy, semi-dwarf Bachelor's Button in blue, maroon, red, rose, white. Pkt. **25¢**

RED, WHITE & BLUE COLLECTION
3 Bachelor's Buttons—1 pkt. each:
Blue Boy Red Boy Snow Man
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No. F1211 75¢ VALUE! **60¢**

PIXIE ROSE Bachelor's Button

Available only from Breck's

F1203 2 ft. Finest pink Bachelor's Button! Bright sparkling rose pink! 1-in. blooms. Extremely double; bushy. Pkt. **35¢**

BLUE LACE FLOWER *Annual*

F1715 Didiscus Coerulea. 1½ ft. Huge flowers like Queen Anne's Lace in unusual, soft powder-blue or "Alice-blue" color. Blooms all summer. (See illustration B) Pkt. **25¢**

BROWALLIA — *See page 9.*

CACTUS — *See page 9.*

CALCEOLARIA — *See page 9.*

ALL AMERICA WINNERS

Varieties marked with this symbol . . . or the letters AAS immediately following the name . . . are **All America** winners. They are selected by expert judges, after intensive testing in every section of the U.S. Only the very best are given the right to use the All America symbol.

CALENDULA, PACIFIC BEAUTY *Annual*

Bigger flowers, brighter colors, stronger stems than old varieties. Stand hot weather, too! Ideal for cutting. 1½ ft.

F0880 Pacific Beauty Mixture. Shades of apricot, cream, yellow and orange. Pkt. **25¢**

F0872 Flame Beauty. NEW for '63! Big, flaming-orange flowers that sparkle in the sunshine. Strong, rugged stems for good bouquets. (Illustration C) Pkt. **25¢**

PACIFIC BEAUTY CALENDULAS
Collection of 4 separate colors—1 pkt. each:
Apricot Beauty, Cream Beauty, Lemon Beauty, Persimmon Beauty (Orange)
Order Group
No. F0887 1.00 VALUE! **75¢**

NEW CRESTED CALENDULAS

There are no others like these! (See illus. H)

F0889 1½ ft. All the usual Calendula shades . . . cream through yellow to bright orange . . . with unique crested and quilled centers, tipped with brown or yellow. Be sure to grow some for bouquets. Pkt. **35¢**

CALLIOPSIS *Annual*

F0940 Breck's Special Blend. 2 ft. Free-flowering, wiry stemmed plants in shades of yellow, crimson, browns. Sow directly in sunny spot in early spring. (Illustration E) Pkt. **25¢**

CALIFORNIA POPPIES—*See page 21.*

CANTERBURY BELLS *Biennial*

Cup and Saucer Type. 3 ft. Tall, showy plants. Erect branching stems covered with huge bells set in a shorter bell that gives a cup-and-saucer effect!

F0986 Mixed Colors. (See illus. D) Pkt. **25¢**

CAMPANULAS *Perennial*

F1021 Persicifolia, Telham Beauty. 2½ ft. Best perennial Bell Flower. Quantities of china-blue bells in late June, early July. Pkt. **50¢**

F1003 Carpathian Harebell. 8 in. For rock gardens . . . clear blue in mid-summer. Large, graceful bells. Pkt. **25¢**

F1027 Rotundifolia, Blue Bells of Scotland. 8 to 12 in. Sturdy; dainty blue bells on wiry stems. Blooms in late spring through late summer. Pkt. **25¢**

CANARYBIRD VINE *Annual*

F3998 10 ft. Rapid growing vine with delicately cut leaves and clear yellow, fringed flowers. Pkt. **25¢**

CANDYTUFT *Annual*

Charming plants for summer bedding, bearing showy, massive heads of attractive blooms in July and August. Sow outdoors in spring. 1½ ft.

F1032 Breck's White Giant. Large spikes of pure-white flowers. (Illustration G) Pkt. **25¢**

F1042 Breck's Special Color Blend. Rose, crimson, carmine, lilac, white. Pkt. **25¢**

F1044 Dwarf Fairy Mixture. 8 in. NEW! Prolific little dome-like, uniform plants give the appearance of a rich, lively colored carpet! Pkt. **25¢**

CANDYTUFT *Perennial*

F1068 Sempervirens. 12 in. Choice, compact little evergreen plants covered in May and June with snowy-white blooms. Pkt. **25¢**

CARDINAL CLIMBER *Annual Vine*

F1072 15 ft. or more. Rich, glossy green foliage — very dainty and fernlike! Alive all summer with glowing scarlet trumpets. Pkt. **25¢**

CARDINAL FLOWER *Perennial*

F2397 Lobelia Cardinalis. 3 ft. Thrives best in half-shade. Late July-August, it's ablaze with glistening cardinal-red spikes! Pkt. **25¢**

CARNATIONS *Perennial*

Chabaud's Giant Imp. Fully double flowers — almost as large as greenhouse Carnations! Clean, spicy fragrance! Start early indoors for blooms by mid-summer of same year. 18 in.

F1087 Orange Sherbet. Orange-apricot flowers, striped and flushed with scarlet! Large double blooms, clove-scented and frilled. Pkt. **25¢**

F1094 Mixed Colors. Pkt. **25¢**

ENGLISH GIANT CARNATIONS *Perennial*

F1135 Superb Mixed. (Color illus. I, p. 14)

SUGAR 'N SPICE CARNATION COLL.
5 beautiful colors—1 pkt. each:
White, Pink, Salmon, Scarlet, Yellow
Hundreds of fragrant blooms!
Order Group
No. F1099 1.25 VALUE! **1.00**

(A) RAINBOW CORN
F1445 Rich reds, yellow, oranges, blues in endless combinations to brighten your fall and winter decorations. Easy to grow; ears keep all winter. ¼ lb. 75¢ **Oz. 25¢**

MEXICANA COLLECTION GOURDS & CORNS
1 pkt. each: DeLuxe Gourd Mixture, Ornamental Corn, Strawberry Corn. Order Group No. F1450 75¢ Value **Coll. 60¢**

(B) PAMPAS PLUME FEATHERED COCKSCOMB
F1164 2½ ft. Big, showy plumes. Copper, bronze, gold and sunset shades. Nice for cutting! **Pkt. 25¢**

(C) MERRY MIXTURE CHRYSANTHEMUMS
F1292 2½ ft. One of the easiest annuals. Gaily colored blooms in cream, yellow and pink, with unusual markings, from July to frost. Excellent for cutting. **Pkt. 25¢**

(D) GOURDS, DELUXE MIXTURE
F2000 Breck's own grand assortment! Interesting, small types for table decoration. Very colorful. Will keep for years when dried properly. **Pkt. 25¢**

(E) COLEUS MIXTURE
F1422 2 ft. Includes a wide selection of choicest colors and unusual color combinations. Striking foliage plant for bedding and edging. Nice house plant. **Pkt. 35¢**

(F) STRAWBERRY CORN
F1447 Tiny little ears, barely 2 inches long, of deep shining mahogany, contrast with the light-colored husk when dried. You'll have fun using them with gourds for fall door decorations, or with Christmas greens. It pops, too! **Pkt. 25¢**

(G) BELLS OF IRELAND
F0825 2 ft. One of the few really green flowers. Branching plants with green bells on long spikes. Lovely combined with pure white flowers. Enchanting in bouquets. **Pkt. 25¢**

(I) ENGLISH GIANT CARNATIONS
F1135 18 in. Fresh, spicy fragrance from large, double, florist-style Carnations, in a wide range of colors. **Pkt. 35¢**

(H) PINK QUEEN SPIDER FLOWER
F1400 AAS 3 to 4 ft. Huge showy heads of pink blooms followed by long, slender seed pods. Easy to grow. **Pkt. 25¢**

(F) McKANA'S HYBRIDS COLUMBINE
F0389 AAS. 2½-3 ft. The finest Columbines yet! Bigger, longer-spurred, richer colored flowers. **Pkt. 50¢**

(B) BRAVO DIANTHUS
F1657 AAS Silver Medal. 8 in. NEW! The most brilliant, most exciting scarlet you ever saw . . . covered with big, single, half-dollar size blooms. **Pkt. 50¢**

(C) GLORIOSA DAISY, MIXED
F3425 3 ft. Spectacular huge, Daisy-like, long-lasting blooms — up to 7" across — on long, strong stems. **Pkt. 25¢**

(D) BRECK'S DOUBLE GEISHA GIRL DIANTHUS
F1668 10 to 16 in. The finest double Dianthus — available only from Breck's! Upright growing. 2 to 2¼ in. across. **Pkt. 35¢**

(E) BLUE MIRROR DELPHINIUM
F1644 12 in. Clear, sparkling, bright-blue flowers smother the bushy plants from June on! **Pkt. 35¢**

(A) EARLY BIRD DAHLIA
F1557 12 in. NEW! The earliest and dwarfest ever! Neat, bushy, compact plants. Bright blooms all summer. **Pkt. 35¢**

CATHEDRAL BELLS *Annual*
F1408 Cobaea Scandens. 20 ft. Rapid growing vine, unusual bronzy-green foliage. Beautiful 1½-in. lavender-purple bells, from mid-summer to frost. Clings to any rough surface. Pkt. **25¢**

CELOSIA *Annual*
F1164 Pampas Plume Mixture. (Color illus. B, p. 14)

CRESTED COCKSCOMB *Annual*
F1163 Toreador. AAS. 20 in. Lustrous, bright-red, long-lasting, feathered and crested blossoms with scarlet highlights. Foliage is light green. Easy to grow . . . sow directly outdoors. Pkt. **25¢**

CHINESE FORGET-ME-NOTS
Cynoglossum *Annual*
F1540 Firmament. AAS. 15 to 18 in. Lovely sprays of vivid sky-blue, starry flowers. Sow in open ground in May. Grand for cutting. Pkt. **25¢**

CHINESE LANTERN *Perennial*
F3175 Physalis. 2 ft. Brilliant orange seed pods in tall, showy sprays. Harvest in fall. Dry for decorations. Easy to grow, even in poor soil. Pkt. **25¢**

CHRYSANTHEMUMS *Annual*
(See color illustration C on page 14)

CHRYSANTHEMUMS *Perennial*
F1318 Hardy Korean. 2½ ft. Fun and adventure in every packet! You're sure to get single and semi-double blooms in a wide color range. Very hardy. Pkt. **50¢**

F1319 Corsage Mums. 30 in. NEW for '63! Big, beautiful, fully-double blooms — as large as 6 in. across — on strong, straight stems, for garden or pot plants. Specially selected imported seed for fully double flowers in all types and colors. Pkt. **1.00**

CINERARIA — *See page 9.*

CLEOME *Annual*
F1400 Pink Queen. (Color illus. H, page 14)

FREE TEST SEEDS! For early orders. See page 10

COREOPSIS *Perennial*
Bushy plants smothered in large flowers that dance like golden yellow butterflies! Cut for bouquets till October. 2 to 2½ ft.
F1438 Sunburst. Large, double flowers in rich golden colors. Pkt. **25¢**

COBEA — *See Cathedral Bells, this page*

COLEUS (Color illus. E, page 14)

COLUMBINE, Aquilegia *Perennial*
(See color illustration F above)

CORAL BELLS — *See Heuchera, page 17.*

ORNAMENTAL CORN
F1447 Strawberry. (Color illus. F, page 14)
F1445 Rainbow. (Color illus. A, page 14)

COSMOS SENSATION *Annual*
Enormous early flowers on strong stems.
F1471 Mixed. 4 ft. Well-balanced blend of lovely colors. Pkt. **25¢**; ¼ oz. **1.00**

BRECK'S PINK GLOW COSMOS
F1480 3½ ft. Exclusive with Breck's! Blooms a full TWO WEEKS EARLIER than any other Cosmos! 4 to 5 in. flowers are a rich, glowing pink with a silvery sheen to every petal. Pkt. **25¢**

SEMI-DOUBLE COSMOS *Annual*
F1452 Fiesta. AAS. 2 ft. The brightest of all Cosmos — gay, glowing scarlet and gleaming gold! Informal, gracefully ruffled petals. Pkt. **35¢**

DOUBLE FLOWERED COSMOS *Annual*
F1490 All Colors. 3½-4 ft. Remarkable strain of Cosmos. Some fully double, others with crested centers. Pkt. **25¢**

CROSSANDRA — *See page 9.*

CYCLAMEN — *See page 9.*

CYPRESS VINE *Annual*
F1547 15 ft. The daintiest of all vines — lacy, fern-like foliage, small scarlet and white, star-shaped flowers. Pkt. **25¢**

DWARF DAHLIAS *Annual*
F1565 Unwin's Dwarf Hybrids. 15-18 in. Single and semi-double flowers. Mixed. Pkt. **25¢**

F1557 Early Bird. (Color illus. A above)
F1563 Fall Festival. 2 to 2½ ft. Long-stemmed, 3 to 4-in. flowers in rich fall shades of crimson, red, orange, yellow, apricot and purple against dark, bronzy foliage. Pkt. **25¢**

LARGE-FLOWERED DAHLIAS
F1560 Decorative Double. 4 to 5 ft. Choice, prize-winning Dahlias easily grown from seed. Sow them early indoors. Every packet full of surprises! Pkt. **75¢**

F1319 Chrysanthemum

IT'S FASCINATING TO GROW DAYLILIES FROM SEED!

F1577 Daylilies

Anyone can do it! They flower the second year, and succeeding years, of course! Simple cultural instructions are included. 3-4 ft. (Illus.)

F1577 Mixed Colors. Includes pastel shades, bicolors and eyed types. Pkt. **1.00**

Gorgeous Blooms! Brilliant colors! From Breck's Guaranteed-To-Grow Seeds!

(A) F1924 Gaillardia Hybrids

(B) F2666 Feverfew. Double White (Matricaria)

(C) F1630 Delphinium, Galahad

HARDY DELPHINIUMS *Perennial*

Pacific Giants

(See illus. C above) The finest strain grown! Huge, very double flowers completely cover the tall, straight stems. They come in shades of blue, lilac, purple, lavender, pink and white. 5 to 6 ft.

F1621 Black Knight Series. Dark blues.
F1623 Blue Bird Series. Lively light blue.
F1627 Cameliard Series. Clear lavender.
F1630 Galahad Series. Giant white.
F1636 King Arthur Series. Royal purple.
F1642 Round Table Series. All colors.

Above Pkts., **50¢** each

F1620 Astolat Series. Lovely **PINK** shades . . . from apple blossom through rose. Pkt. **1.00**

PACIFIC GIANT DELPHINIUM COLLECTION

1 pkt. each:

F1623 Light Blue **F1630 White**
F1627 Lavender **F1636 Purple**

Order Group No. F1643 2.00 VALUE! 1.50

DELPHINIUM BELLADONNA *Perennial*

F1615 Sapphire. 3 ft. New shade . . . clear gentian-blue with a golden bee. Immense florets. Pkt. **50¢**

CHINESE LARKSPUR *Perennial*

F1644 Blue Mirror. (Color illus. E, p. 15)

DAYLILIES — *See page 17.*

DIANTHUS *Annual*

Old-Fashioned Pinks

F1664 Breck's Geisha Girl. 1 ft. The most fascinating assortment of colors and single-flowered types to be found anywhere! Pkt. **25¢**

F1668 Breck's Double Geisha Girl (See color illus. D on page 15)

F1657 Bravo. AAS. (Color illus. B, p. 15)

DIANTHUS *Perennial*

F1702 Spring Beauty. 18 in. Large, double, Carnation-like blooms in spectacular, bright sparkling colors! Includes rose, white, salmon, pink. Spicy fragrance. Pkt. **25¢**

FAMOUS BRETTON WOODS MIXTURE

F2539 A riot of color, with emphasis on cut flowers! Originated for nationally famous hotel gardens in Bretton Woods, N.H. All annuals, of course, for a full summer of bloom!

Large Pkt. (covers 150 sq. ft.)
¼ lb. (covers 1500 sq. ft.) **3.00** **50¢**

AFRICAN DAISIES *Annual*

F1758 Dimorphotheca. 1 ft. Easily grown sun-loving Daisies, ranging from orange through salmon to soft cream and white. Pkt. **25¢**

ENGLISH DAISIES *Biennial*

F0834 Bellis Perennis. 8 in. Neat, long-lasting, colorful double flowers in white, pink, red. Early. Pkt. **25¢**

ESCHSCHOLTZIA — *See California Poppies, p. 21.*

FEVERFEW *Perennial*

F2666 Double White Matricaria. 1 ft. stems — blooms first year from seed — long season of bloom. (Illustration B above) Pkt. **25¢**

FORGET-ME-NOTS *Perennial*

F2676 Myosotis. Victoria Blue. 6 in. Popular and dainty clear sky-blue. Pkt. **25¢**

F2679 Myosotis palustris semperflorens. 6 in. Bright blue ever-blooming type. Prefers a moist location. Pkt. **25¢**

FOUR O'CLOCKS *Annual*

Mirabilis

Easy to grow, colorful plants with the unique habit of opening their bright flowers in the afternoon. Their sturdy, upright habit makes them useful for temporary summer hedges, as well as for general garden effects. Four O'Clocks make tubers, like Dahlias, which may be stored over winter and re-planted in the spring!

F2675 Mixed. 3 ft. Easy-to-grow, colorful annuals! Flowers open in late afternoon. Tubers can be stored like Dahlias. Pkt. **25¢**

FOXGLOVES *Perennial*

Digitalis

For shady spots. Blooms mid-June into July.

F1724 Excelsior Hybrids. 5 ft. Fine new strain with larger bells which face outward, showing the full beauty of their intricate throat markings. More **new colors** including white, cream, primrose, pink, rose and purple. (Illus. D below) Pkt. **35¢**

FUCHSIA — *See page 9.*

GAILLARDIA *Annual*

F1910 Sunshine Mixture. 2 ft. Long-stemmed, double blooms in sunset shades that make beautiful cut flowers. Likes hot, dry locations. Pkt. **25¢**

GAILLARDIA *Perennial*

F1924 Breck's Hybrids. 2 ft. Superb mixture of large, showy flowers in shades of rich wine-red, clear yellow and vivid crimson, all with contrasting gold and red bands. (Illustration A above) Pkt. **25¢**

GERANIUM — *See page 9.*

GLOBE THISTLE *Perennial*

F1792 Echinops Ritro. 4 ft. Big, long-lasting silvery, metallic-blue pompons that bloom through July and August on tall, strong stems. They dry well for winter arrangements. Thistle-like foliage is very attractive. A real conversation piece! (See illustration F below) Pkt. **25¢**

GLORIOSA DAISY *Annual*

Giant Tetra Rudbeckia

F3425 Single Mixed. (Color illus. C, p. 15)

F3430 Double Gloriosa Daisy. AAS. 3 ft. Rich golden yellow double blossoms — 4½ in. and more across! Bushy plants, with big flowers all summer. Good for hot, dry, sunny places. Sow early. Pkt. **50¢**

GOLDEN MARGUERITE *Perennial*

F0194 Anthemis Kelwayi. 2 ft. Hundreds of bright, golden yellow Daisies from June to frost! Long-lasting cut flower. Easy-to-grow perennial that lasts for years! Pkt. **25¢**

GYPSOPHILA *Annual*

Baby's Breath

Quick-growing plants with dainty flowers in loose, graceful, misty sprays . . . to bring ethereal beauty to arrangements! 1½ ft. (Illustration E below)

F2072 Breck's Giant White. Snow white. Pkt. **25¢**; 1 oz. **1.00**

GYPSOPHILA *Perennial*

F2080 Paniculata. 2 to 3 ft. Globular bushes, with masses of tiny white flowers on loose sprays in July and August. Pkt. **25¢**

F2082 Paniculata, Double. 3 ft. Large white flowers from July to August. Dries well for winter arrangements. Pkt. **25¢**

GOURDS

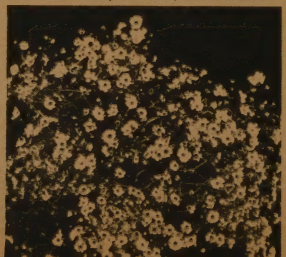
F2000 De Luxe Mixture. (See color illus. D, page 14)

F2005 Aladdin. A small green, turban-shaped gourd attractively marked with red and yellow stripes. Pkt. **25¢**

F2010 Luffa. NEW for '63! Grow your own sponges! Typical gourd vines have attractive yellow blossoms followed by longish fruits which are used as sponges. Europeans have long known the skin-tingling, massage effects of loofas. Here's an opportunity to raise a handsome, decorative vine and have a useful product at harvest time! They grow with little or no care and may be used as a screen or cover-up for any undesirable view, etc. They do like sunshine, but will grow almost anywhere and make a nice spot of color. Pkt. **50¢**

(D) F1724 Foxglove, Excelsior Hybrids

(E) F2072 Baby's Breath, Giant White



(F) F1792 Globe Thistle

(G) F2229 Japanese Iris, Higo (See p. 17)

(A) F1609 Larkspur

(B) F2672 Mignonette

(C) F2282 Summer Cypress

(D) F4100 Johnny Jump-Ups

HEARTS AND HONEY VINE *Annual*
F1074 10-15 ft. Fast-growing vine covered with bright 2-in. trumpets that change color every day! Blooms start pinkish-orange, become brilliant pinkish-red and finish bright rose-pink. Pkt. 25¢

HELIOTROPE
Enchanting fragrance! Start seed indoors in January to bloom in midsummer.
F2127 Blue Bonnet. 1½ ft. Deepest lavender-blue, with the sweetest, most entrancing fragrance we know. Pkt. 25¢

HESPERIS *Perennial*
Sweet Rocket. 3 ft. Fragrant Phlox-like border plant, blooming late May to July. Pkt. 25¢
F2138 Purple F2140 White

HEUCHERA *Perennial*
F2146 Coral Bells (Sanguinea splendens). 1½ ft. Neat, evergreen, heart-shaped leaves form tidy clumps. From each plant rise dozens of coral-crimson bells! Fine for edging borders or combining with evergreens or shrubs. Pkt. 35¢

HIBISCUS *Perennial*
F2155 Mallow Marvels. 5 to 6 ft. Saucer-shaped blooms — often dinnerplate size — in mid-July! Colors from blush through pink and rose to vivid red. Huge, shrubby plants, very hardy. Pkt. 25¢

HELICHRYSUM-Strawflowers — See page 22.

HONESTY *Biennial*
F2405 Lunaria, Silverpenny. 2½ ft. Lovely soft purple flowers in May, later becoming the Silver Sixpence so popular in winter bouquets. Combined with Physalis, Statice and other everlasting flowers. (See illustration E below) Pkt. 25¢

JOHNNY JUMP-UPS *Perennial*
F4100 Shakespearean Pansies. 6 in. Gay little elves that start with the first warm days of early spring and often are producing vigorously at Thanksgiving. Like miniature Pansies in charming combinations of purple, blue, yellow and white. (Illustration D above) Pkt. 25¢

NEW HOLLYHOCK, PINK ROSETTE
F2169 3 ft. At last! A new Hollyhock that blooms first year from seed! Beautiful, big 4-in., double-ruffled, salmon-rose flowers veined with deep rose. Pkt. 25¢ Attractive foliage.

LOBELIA — *Treat as Annual*
(Color illustration F, page 18)

LUPINE *Annual*
F2400 Giant Mixed. 12 to 15-in. Easily grown. Long spikes, rich colors. Prefers light shade. Pkt. 25¢

RUSSELL LUPINE *Perennial*
F2452 Mixture. 3 ft. The finest strain of Lupines in the world! Long, symmetrical spikes with closely packed blooms. Amazing array of colors and combinations of colors. (Illus. F below) Pkt. 25¢; ⅛ oz. 1.00

MARIGOLDS — See page 18.

MEXICAN FIRE BUSH *Annual*
F2282 Summer Cypress (Kochia). 2-3 ft. Symmetrical, bushy plants with dense, green foliage which transforms to a fiery red in fall. Splendid as a temporary hedge. (Illus. C above) Pkt. 25¢

MIGNONETTE *Annual*
F2672 Old-Fashioned Sweet Scented. 1½ ft. No French perfume can match its lovely fragrance! (Illus. B above) Pkt. 25¢

NIEREMBERGIA *Annual*
F2816 Purple Robe. AAS. 4 to 6 in. Neat little edging and window box plant. Blooms continually until hard frost. Hundreds of lavender-blue, cup-shaped blooms on bright mounds. Pkt. 25¢

SURPRISE GARDEN MIXTURE
A Complete Flower Garden!
F2538 Plant one pkt. and enjoy a spectacular gardenful of hundreds of colorful annual blooms from June to frost — the most varied display ever! 1 pkt. sows a 10x20 ft. plot.
¼ lb. 1.50 **LARGE PACKET, 25¢**

SWEET-SCENTED NICOTIANA *Annual*
Flowering Tobacco
Easily-grown annuals that open their flowers each evening, spreading delightful fragrance all summer.
F2802 Daylight Hybrids. 2 ft. Fine new strain that stays open all day. Bright scarlet, crimson, yellow, pink, rose. Pkt. 25¢
F2810 White Bedder. 12 to 15 in. Remains open all day with a delightfully exotic fragrance! Large, pure white, star-shaped flowers cover the dwarf, compact plant from July to frost. Sow seed indoors early, or outdoors in May. (Illus. H below) Pkt. 35¢

DOUBLE FLOWERED HOLLYHOCKS *Biennial*
Our strain is notable for its immense double flowers, wide color range. Flowers profusely in July, August. 6 ft. (Illustration G below)
F2188 Giant Double Mixed. All colors. Pkt. 25¢

HOLLYHOCK COLLECTION
1 pkt. each of 6 colors
Newport Pink, Deep Rose, Maroon, Scarlet, Yellow, White
Order Group No. F2195 1.50 VALUE! **1.25**

HYACINTH BEANS *Annual*
F1760 Dolichos. 15 ft. Here's a vine to cover porch or trellis quickly! Heart-shaped foliage is bright green, with Wisteria-like flowers in white to lilac shades. Pkt. 25¢

IRIS KAEMPFERI *Perennial*
F2229 Finest Higo Strain. 2 ft. NEW for '63! Specially imported seed produces enormous, heavy-textured double flowers — as large as 8 in. across. Finest mixture of exotic colors. (Illus. G, page 16) Pkt. 1.00

FLOWERING KALE *Annual*
F2300 Novelty Foliage Plants. 1½ ft. Colors range from white through cream, pink, orchid, rose and ruby red. Curled, crested, fluted and ruffled leaf edges. 12-in. heads. Brilliant in cool weather. Pkt. 25¢

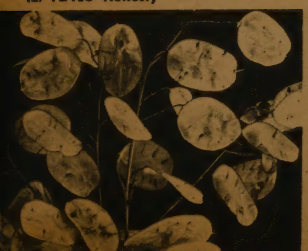
GORGEOUS FOR GARDENS, ARRANGEMENTS! ANNUAL LARKSPUR
Beautiful, spectacular, easy to grow annual! Sow seed early in spring or in fall, where plants are to bloom. Breathtaking for color in masses. 3 ft.
F1609 Mixture. Harmony blend of many lovely colors. (Illustration A above) Pkt. 25¢

LARKSPUR GARDEN
Plant separate colors for a rainbow background in the garden. Cuts well.
5 separate pkts., 1 each:
Blue, Lilac, Pink, Salmon, White
Order Group No. F1611 1.25 VALUE! **1.00**

SWEET LAVENDER *Perennial*
F2320 Vera. 18 in. Time-honored herb, so fine for sachets and potpourri. Charming as a grey-leaved garden plant bearing hundreds of fragrant spikes! Pkt. 25¢

LINUM — Blue Flax *Perennial*
F2372 Caeruleum. 2 ft. Airy, graceful, light blue border plant. Pkt. 25¢

(E) F2405 Honesty



(F) F2452 Russell Lupine

(G) F2188 Hollyhock, Double Mixed

(H) F2810 Nicotiana, White Bedder

(A) TOREADOR MARIGOLD
F2550 AAS. NEW! 2½-3 ft. Spectacular F1 hybrid. Gorgeous, rich-orange flowers — 5 in. across! Bushy, early-blooming. **Pkt. 50¢**

(B) HEAVENLY BLUE MORNING GLORY
F2245 15 ft. Literally covered with glorious, clear-blue, 3½ to 4 in. flowers with golden yellow throats. Blooms very early and until frost. A living cover for walls, fences, etc. ¼ oz. 75¢ **Pkt. 25¢**

(C) NAUGHTY MARIETTA MARIGOLD
F2655 AAS. 1 ft. Golden yellow 2½-in. blooms with rich maroon centers. Compact plants. **Pkt. 25¢**

(F) BLUE GOWN LOBELIA
F2376 4 in. Brilliant deep blue flowers that stand out in any garden. Start early. **Pkt. 25¢**

(D) LEMON DROP MARIGOLD
F2610 9 in. The finest, earliest, bright yellow Marigold for edgings and borders! **Pkt. 25¢**

(E) FLYING SAUCERS MORNING GLORY
F2243 15 ft. Smothered with hundreds of big 4-in. flowers right up to frost! Flowers striped and flaked with bright blue and soft blue white. Early flowering. **Pkt. 35¢**

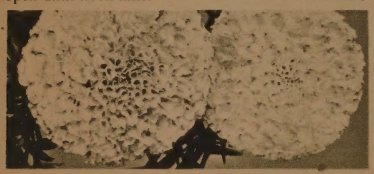
RAPID-GROWING BEAUTIES

MORNING GLORIES

F2243 Flying Saucers. (Color illus. E above)
F2245 Heavenly Blue. (Color illus. B above)
F2250 Pearly Gates. AAS. 10-15 ft. Large, pure-white blooms. Same free-flowering habit as Heavenly Blue. Pkt. 25¢
F2254 New Scarlett O'Hara. 15 ft. Scarlett O'Hara has had a change of heart! This new variety has the same deep wine-red color, and climbs very rapidly. Pkt. 25¢
F2251 Double Rose Marie. 10-15 ft. Deep rose-pink flowers like double ruffled Petunias. Blooms early and all summer until frost. Pkt. 25¢
F2257 Wedding Bells. NEW! 15 ft. Huge, sparkling bright. 4½-in. rose-lavender flowers! Extra-early blooms until frost. Easy to grow! Pkt. 35¢
F1428 Dwarf Royal Ensign. 6-9 in. Rich, deep ultramarine-blue flowers, with a gold throat shading to a white halo. Blooms all summer. Excellent edging or border for other flowers. Pkt. 25¢

MORNING GLORY COLLECTION
1 pkt. each for a living wall of color!
Heavenly Blue, Pearly Gates, Wedding Bells
Order Group No. F2265 85¢ VALUE! **65¢**

FRAGRANT MOONFLOWER Annual
F2248 20 ft. Large, fragrant white blooms — often 6 inches across — opening in the evening and staying open until noon-time. Pkt. 25¢


F2551 Climax Mixed

BRECK'S JEWEL-TONED ANNUAL FLOWERING

MARIGOLDS

GIANT-FLOWERED
F2554 Crackerjack. 2½-3 ft. Earliest large-flowered Marigold with fully double 4-5 in. flowers in primrose, yellow, orange, gold. Pkt. 25¢

CARNATION-FLOWERED
F2570 Man-in-the-Moon. 3 ft. Lightest of all yellow Marigolds with exceptionally attractive, 3-in. Carnation-shaped blooms . . . crisp, ruffled petals of glowing moon-yellow — almost white! Pkt. 25¢
F2572 Yellow Supreme. AAS. 2½ ft. Perfect companion for Toreador — rich primrose yellow — odorless, too. Pkt. 25¢

CLIMAX F1 HYBRIDS
F2550 Toreador. AAS. (Color illus. A, above)
F2551 Climax Mixed. NEW! 2½-3 ft. Big, spectacular flowers over 5 in. across in yellow, gold, orange. Strong bushy plants. (Illus. at left) Pkt. 50¢

BRECK'S MARIGOLD GARDEN
5 beautiful varieties. 1 pkt. each:
Color Magic **Crackerjack**
Naughty Marietta **Lulu**
Chrysanthemum Flowered Mixed
Order Group No. F2657 1.25 VALUE! **1.00**

CHRYSANTHEMUM-FLOWERED
F2596 Spun Gold. AAS. NEW! 12 in. Early dwarf, bushy with 3-in. golden-yellow double flowers! Largest flowered dwarf Marigold! (See Blue & Gold Collection at right) Pkt. 50¢
F2594 Cupid Mixed. 6-8 in. Sturdy, compact plants star-studded with myriads of gold, yellow and orange Chrysanthemum-like flowers all summer and fall! Really stunning as edging plants! Pkt. 25¢
F2598 Glitters. AAS. 3 ft. Fluffy 4-in. blooms of clear canary yellow. Gracefully incurved petals and full round blooms look like Giant Chrysanthemums either in the garden or as cut-flowers. Pkt. 25¢
F2617 Chrysanthemum-Flowered Mixed. 3 ft. All popular yellow and orange shades. Pkt. 25¢

MARIGOLDS, Continued
DWARF DOUBLE FRENCH
F2607 Breck's Atomic Gold. 1 ft. Largest flowered dwarf French! Flowers are high-crowned, rich deep yellow, surrounded by broad, velvety maroon petals. A striking combination! Pkt. 25¢
F2606 Butterball. AAS. 9-12 in. Neat, rounded plants with 1½-in. canary-yellow double blooms. Pkt. 25¢
F2610 Lemon Drop. (Color illus. D above)
F2612 Harmony Hybrids. 12 to 15 in. plants. 1½-in. double flowers in combination of yellow, orange, mahogany. Pkt. 25¢
F2614 Color Magic. 9-12 in. Hundreds of fully double 2-in. flowers, striped and mottled with rich shades of orange and red over clear yellow. Pkt. 25¢

NEW All-America Petite Strain
Extra dwarf — compact — uniform — 5 to 7 in. early flowering — smothered with blooms! Pkt. 25¢
F2624 Petite Yellow. AAS; F2627 Mixed Colors. AAS

SINGLE FRENCH
F2655 Naughty Marietta. AAS. (Color illus. C above)

GORGEOUS BLUE and GOLD COLLECTION
One of nature's loveliest combinations — blue and gold! Alternate groups of three or more as edging, or outline a bed of Spun Gold with Blue Mink.
Order Group No. F2600 75¢ VALUE! Both for **59¢**

MIDGET MARIGOLD
F2663 Signata pumila Lulu. 7 in. Bright canary-yellow. Fine, compact edging plant, up to 18 in. across, covered with blooms. (Illus.) Pkt. 25¢

(B) GLEAM HYBRID NASTURTIUM
F2695 AAS. 1-1½ ft. Fragrant, frilly double. A beautiful mixture of bright colors. 1 oz. **50¢**; ¼ lb. **1.50** Pkt. **25¢**

(A) MASQUERADE PANSY, F2
F2845 6 in. If you like big, bright-colored Pansies, you must grow Masquerade! Loads of flowers in all the beautiful, vivid Pansy colors and gorgeous combination Pkt. **50¢**

BLUE LACE PETUNIA
F3033 12 in. NEW for '63! Big orchid-blue ruffled flowers with violet blue veining are "weather-resistant" and outlast all other Petunias. Pkt. **75¢**

PINK CASCADE PETUNIA
F3042 12 in. NEW for '63! A new race of extra large hybrids with 5 in. flowers. Clear rose-pink with small yellow throat. Early flowering, compact plants. Pkt. **75¢**

DOUBLE CARDINAL PETUNIA
F2954 12 in. NEW for '63! Easy to grow, free-flowering hybrid with rich, cardinal-red double flowers. Bushy, compact plants. Pkt. **75¢**

FIRECRACKER PETUNIA
F2992 12 in. NEW! Flaming red flowers with bright golden throats cover the strong, bushy plants all summer long. Pkt. **75¢**

NASTURTIUMS

Double-Flowered

Deliciously fragrant, fully double, semi-trailing. So easy, so colorful, and so adaptable! Leaves are used in salads and sandwiches; green seeds make tasty pickles! 1-1½ ft.

F2714 Cherry Rose. Luminous glowing rose.
F2680 Golden Gleam. AAS. Bright yellow.
F2685 Mahogany Gleam. Contrasting rich shade of dark mahogany red. Spicy fragrance.
F2688 Salmon Gleam. Soft, dainty salmon.
F2692 Scarlet Gleam. AAS. Brilliant, fiery scarlet.
Above Pkts. **25¢** ea; oz. **60¢**
F2695 Glorious Gleam Hybrids. AAS. (See color illustration B above)

Double-Flowered Dwarf

F2715 Gem Mixture. 12 in. Excellent color range of doubles. Pkt. **25¢**; oz. **75¢**; ¼ lb. **2.25**

FRAGRANT NASTURTIUM TRIO

Enjoy gleaming, jewel-like colors and spicy fragrance from early summer to late fall with these easiest-to-grow of annuals! Beautifully shaped leaves can be used as garnish for salads, or as backgrounds for cut flowers. 1 pkt. of each variety, 3 pkts. in all.

Golden Gleam **Mahogany Gleam**
Scarlet Gleam

Order Group No. F2700 75¢ VALUE! **60¢**

(I) F2667 Desert Daisy

BRECK'S OWN OUTSTANDING

GIANT PANSIES

F2845 Masquerade. (Color illus. A above)

(H) F2857 Clear Crystals

F2857 Clear Crystals. 8-12 in. NEW! Pansies without markings in bright, sparkling colors, clear as crystals. Large, slightly ruffled flowers . . . neat, compact plants. Try these if you prefer plain colors! (Illustration H) Pkt. **50¢**

Imported SWISS GIANT PANSIES

Like to enjoy a Pansy bouquet? Now you can arrange them easily with **tall stemmed** Swiss Giants! Beautiful colors — huge, velvety-textured flowers — the most beautiful Pansies we have seen! Imported seed, grown in Switzerland for Breck's by the originator. 8-12 in.
F2885 Swiss Giants Mixed. A magnificent blend of rich colors, best we've ever seen! Pkt. **25¢**

BOSTON PRIZE MIXED PANSIES

(J) F2861 Boston Prize

F2861 8-12 in. For years, Breck's has been proud to furnish the Pansy seed for the famous Boston Public Gardens. Boston Prize Mixed combines an unbeatable color balance with uniform dwarf habit and large flowers. A bright, cheerful mixture! Pkt. **35¢**

PAINTED DAISIES *Perennial*

Pyrethrum

2 ft. June-blooming single and double Daisies with long, graceful stems and attractive, ferny foliage. Dainty and charming, they're extremely showy in garden and bouquets. Colors range through white, pink and rose to deep red. (Illustration G)
Each of the following: Pkt. **25¢**
F3408 Single Mixed. **F3412 Double Mixed.**

(G) F3412 Pyrethrum, Double Mixed

MESEMBRYANTHEMUM *Annual*

Low spreading, easily-grown plants that thrive in sunny locations and light sandy soil. Particularly good near seashore. 3 to 4 in.

F2667 Criniflorum, Desert Daisy. Brilliantly colored, large, Daisy-like flowers in shades of lavender, pink, rose, red and white. A carpet of glowing color! Good in dry, sunny spots. (Illustration I) Pkt. **25¢**

F2668 Crystalinum. Ice Plant. A most unusual plant grown for its curious thick foliage which looks as if frosted with glistening ice-like beads. Pinkish-white flowers. Good for hot, dry places. Pkt. **25¢**

(A) F3039 White Magic

BRECK'S F1 HYBRID PETUNIAS

(B) F3080 Carnival

(C) F2964 Fire Dance, AAS

(D) F2932 Black Magic

(E) F3037 Sugar Plum

(F) F3038 Satellite

LARGE-FLOWERED FRINGED AND RUFFLED

Huge, 3 to 4 in. single flowers smother the compact plants . . . fringed and ruffled edges have the appearance of fine filigree.

F2933 Calypso. 15 in. NEW! Best flaming scarlet-red with a honey-colored throat. Beautiful with La Paloma. As Calypso waves in summer breezes, it really sparkles in the sunshine! (Illustration C above) Pkt. **75¢**

F2964 Fire Dance. AAS. 15 in. Bright scarlet-red with a honey-colored throat. Beautiful with La Paloma. (Illustration C above) Pkt. **75¢**

F2931 Ballerina. AAS. 12 in. Soft, glowing salmon, 3½ to 4 in. flowers. Very uniform in habit, spreads 2 to 3 ft. wide, making a solid carpet of glowing color! Pkt. **75¢**

F2944 Crusader, 12 in. White with red stripes and veins. Makes sparkling border. Pkt. **75¢**

F2934 La Paloma. 15 in. Pure white with golden throat. Every plant a snowy mound! Pkt. **75¢**

F2970 Fringed and Ruffled Mixture. New and exciting mixture of the above and many others! Pkt. **75¢**

F3033 Blue Lace. (Color illus. C, p. 19)

NEW LARGE-FLOWERED F_1 HYBRIDS

F2922 Pink Cheeks. (Color illus. B, p. 2) A Breck's exclusive that is truly different! Its white throat and soft pink edges give a pastel effect you are sure to enjoy! Pkt. **75¢**

F3028 Blue Lustre. 12 in. Beautifully waved, 3½ in., deep velvety, violet-blue flowers. Neat, well-behaved plants that just bloom and bloom all summer! Try it alongside White Magic in the garden or in window boxes! Pkt. **75¢**

F3030 Maytime. AAS. 12 in. Glowing salmon pink, shading slightly lighter at the throat. Frilled edges. Solid mounds of color 24 to 30 in. across. For borders, pots or boxes. Pkt. **75¢**

F3036 Scarlet Lustre. 12 in. Glowing vivid scarlet, 3½ in. flowers with bright yellow throats . . . add wavy, ruffled petals and the effect is breathtaking! Pkt. **75¢**

F3039 White Magic. 12 in. Large, pure white ruffled flowers . . . strong-growing plants cover the ground like a blanket of newly fallen snow. (See illus. A) Pkt. **75¢**

F2932 Black Magic. 12 in. Huge, velvety-textured, deepest violet-purple blossoms with a rich black sheen. (See illustration F) Pkt. **75¢**

PETUNIA CARNIVAL New F_2 Mixture

F3080 Over TWENTY brilliant and distinct colors in this one strain! Vigorous, uniform, 12 to 15 in. plants spread a full TWO feet. Large fringed and waved blossoms average over 3½ in. Makes a showplace of any garden! (Illustration B) Pkt. **50¢**

BRECK'S ALLDOUBLE PETUNIA HYBRIDS

F2955 Honey Bunch. 12 in. NEW for '63! Fully double salmon-pink flowers just cover the plants all summer! Same compact plant and free-blooming habit as Cherry Tart. Pkt. **75¢**

F2991 Cherry Tart. (Color illus. E, p. 22)

F2954 Cardinal. (Color illus. E, p. 19)

BRECK'S NEW GIANT CASCADE PETUNIAS

NEW for '63! An outstanding new family of large flowered Petunias, suitable for gardens or window boxes. We have never seen anything like the Cascades for sheer size and quantity of colorful blooms! They just keep on blooming all summer, too! 12 in.

F3035 Red Cascade. Tremendous bright scarlet blooms that retain their color even in hot sun. Very free-flowering. A clear, brilliant color, fully as good as Comanche, but with much larger flowers. Pkt. **75¢**

F3045 White Cascade. Huge flowers of purest white — as big as 5 in. across — bloom early and continue until frost. For a large-flowered white, this is unbeatable! Pkt. **75¢**

F3029 Fandango. (Color illus. D, p. 22)

F3042 Pink Cascade. (Color illus. D, p. 19)

DWARF BEDDING F_1 HYBRIDS

Unbeatable for beds or edgings! Neat, compact plants are 8 to 12 in. high, up to 26 in. wide! Covered with gorgeous flowers in many colors all summer long.

F2985 Comanche. AAS. 14 in. Bright scarlet red. Comanche is the standard by which all other reds are judged! Pkt. **50¢**

F2986 Coral Satin. 12 in. **AAS** Bronze Medal winner. Lovely coral-rose; dwarf plants. Pkt. **50¢**

F2992 Firecracker. (Color illus. F, p. 19)

F3032 Glitters. AAS. 8 in. Contrasting white stripes on brilliant red. Very showy! Pkt. **50¢**

F2988 Mercury. 12 in. NEW! Clear heavenly blue, an unusual color in Petunias! Pkt. **50¢**

F2989 Neptune. 12 in. NEW! A real Mediterranean blue that seems to glow at twilight! Pkt. **50¢**

DWARF BEDDING, Continued

F3034 Paleface. AAS. 12 in. Pure snow-white. Shines in the evening light. Pkt. **50¢**

F3031 Polaris. 12 in. Violet blue with a white star — named for the North Star shining in a dark moonless night. Free-flowering. Pkt. **50¢**

F3038 Satellite. 12 in. Dwarf, compact plants bearing thousands of brilliant rose flowers, each with a perfect white star. A must! (Illus. F above) Pkt. **50¢**

F2994 Starlight Mixture. 12 in. NEW! A gorgeous array of twinkling white stars on many colored backgrounds. Colors range through pink, rose, blue, purple and intermediate shades. A bed or border makes a dancing array of brilliant color all summer long . . . even after a light frost! Pkt. **75¢**

F3037 Sugar Plum. 12 in. NEW! Bushy plants covered with handsome orchid-pink flowers beautifully veined with deep wine-red! One of the outstanding features of Sugar Plum is its tight, compact habit. It never sprawls or gets out of hand. (Illus. E) Pkt. **50¢**

F3040 F1 Hybrid Mixture. A perfect blend of all colors, from soft pastels to the richest, most brilliant hues imaginable! All on strong, well behaved plants that bloom all summer. Pkt. **50¢**

FAMOUS PAN-AMERICAN DOUBLE STRAIN

Finest strain in the world! Giant fully-double flowers, all beautifully fringed. Plants 12 to 18 in. tall, 24 in. wide. Terrific for borders, boxes, cut flowers.

All Pkts. **1.25** each

F3094 Caprice. 12 in. Gleaming bright-rose blossoms 3½ to 4 in. across. Uniformly dwarf.

F3102 Nocturne. 15 in. Deep violet-purple flowers, 3 to 2½ in. across.

F3104 Sonata. 18 in. As white and graceful as a swan are the 3½ to 4 in. blossoms!

F3111 All Colors Mixed. AAS. (Color illus. C, p. 22)

FREE TEST SEEDS!

For early orders

See page 10

CAREFREE AND COLORFUL ...ALL SUMMER LONG!

F1 (first generation) Hybrid Petunias are a triumph in plant breeding. They give you a uniformity of habit, size and color that would have been impossible just a few years ago. Choose the type and color that appeals to you and enjoy Petunias at their very best!

(A) F3295 Oriental Poppy

(B) F2930 Petunia, Ruffled Giant

(C) F3336 Primula Polyanthus

(D) F1827 California Poppies, Mission Bells

(E) F3002 Petunia, Rose of Heaven

(F) F3145 Phlox, Glamour. AAS

(G) F3228 Double Shirley Poppy, Sweet Briar

(H) F2995 Petunia, Popcorn

BRECK'S FAMOUS BEDDING (DWARF) PETUNIAS

For solid masses of color, nothing rivals the bedding Petunia! Plants average 10 to 18 in. tall and spread out to TWO or more feet across, with continuous blooms up to 3 in. across. Seed germinates easily — sow directly in open ground after all danger of frost is past or start indoors in February or March.

F2942 Breck's White Giant. 18 in. Huge wavy, snow-white, fragrant blooms. Pkt. **35¢**

F2951 Elk's Pride. 12 in. Rich violet-blue of amazing velvety texture. Pkt. **50¢**

F2987 Fire Chief. AAS. 12 in. Very brilliant scarlet-red. Pkt. **25¢**

F2995 Popcorn. 8 in. Neat, compact plants for smaller gardens. Covered with huge, pure white blooms. (See illustration H) Pkt. **35¢**

F3002 Rose of Heaven. 15 in. Warm, clear rose-pink; darker center. (See illus. E) Pkt. **25¢**

ALL COLORS MIXED

F3014 All the gorgeous varieties offered above — a kaleidoscope of color!
Pkt. **25¢**; ⅛ oz. **1.25**

RAINBOW COLLECTION

Make your own color blends with these 4 outstanding varieties — one pkt. each:

Rose of Heaven **Popcorn**
Elk's Pride **Fire Chief**

Order Group No. F3024 1.35 VALUE! All 4 Pkts. for **1.00**

RUFFLED GIANTS MIXED

F2930 1-1½ ft. Enormous, curled and fluted blooms in brilliant colors with contrasting throat markings. Compact plants. (Illustration B) Pkt. **50¢**

WINDOW BOX PETUNIAS

For spectacular results in window boxes, plant these trailing beauties! Masses of gay 2-in. blooms all summer with little care!

WINDOW BOX COLOR COLLECTION

1 pkt. each: **Pure White, Royal Rose, Velvety Red, Violet Blue**

Order Group No. F3067 1.00 VALUE! All 4 for **75¢**

PHLOX *Annual*

Drummond

F3144 Mixed. 15 in. Well-branched plants with large clusters of 1-inch blooms. Lovely gay colors. Pkt. **25¢**

GLOBE PHLOX *Annual*

F3122 Mixed. AAS. 8 in. Every plant a compact, uniform mound of solid color throughout the entire flowering season! Glorious range of brilliant colors. Very uniform in height and spread — 1 ft. spread. Pkt. **25¢**

STAR PHLOX *Annual*

F3130 Twinkle. AAS. (Color illus. B, p. 22)

GIANT TETRA PHLOX

F3145 Glamour. AAS. 12 in. (Illus. F) NEW! Glamorous salmon with deeper eye. Individual flowers are larger than silver dollars! Pkt. **50¢**

POPPIES *Annual*

California Poppies *Eschscholtizia*

F1827 Mission Bells. 1 ft. Exquisitely formed semi-double and double flowers from delicate pastels to deep red. Dwarf, compact plants ideal for borders, beds or plant boxes. (Illustration D) Pkt. **25¢**

Gay Shirley Poppies *Annual*

F3225 Breck's Superb Double-Flowered Mixture. 1½-2 ft. Marvelous color range. Huge double blooms. Pkt. **25¢**

DOUBLE POPPY

F3228 Sweet Briar. 1½ to 2 ft. Plants bear fully double blooms of enchanting wild rose pink. Long season of bloom; reseeds each year! (Illustration G) Pkt. **25¢**

KEEP EDGING PLANTS OFF GRASS!

Tuck 5" high Benda-Brace Supports **under** plants and push into ground. Keeps plants from sprawling over lawn. Green-painted, heavy wire corrugated bands, 16" long, are invisible! Indispensable!

R2670 Benda-Brace. (3 lbs.)Dozen. **3.00**

POPPIES *Perennial*

Iceland Poppies

Here's the Poppy for cutting — flowers the first year from early seeding! Blooms from late May on, producing hundreds of charming crinkled, crepe-textured flowers.

Each of the following: Pkt. **25¢**

F3270 Pink Champagne. 1½ ft. Silky textured, crinkled flowers are glowing pink suffused with gold. Makes beautiful arrangements!

F3285 Breck's Selected Giants. 1½ ft. Orange and yellow shades running into soft pinks and apricot.

ORIENTAL POPPIES *Perennial*

Spectacular for the June garden! Enormous blooms of startling brilliance. 3 ft. (See illustration A)

F3295 Oriental. Brilliant scarlet

F3301 Mixed Hybrids. Fine assortment.

Above Pkts. **25¢** each

PRIMROSES *Perennial*

Plant in shaded nooks or combine with spring bulbs for April and May bloom.

F3336 Polyanthus, Giant Mixed. 6 to 8 in. Big clusters, wide color range. (Illustration C) Pkt. **35¢**

SPERGON SEED PROTECTANT

To prevent seed decay and damping-off, dust seeds with Spergon before planting! It's easy to use.

R3049 1 oz. Spergon. (¼ lb.) **50¢**
R3050 5 oz. Spergon. (½ lb.) **1.75**

VIBRA-SEEDER

Saves time, work, seed! Electrically sows those tiny, costly seeds that are so hard to handle! Drops seeds one at a time, if you wish . . . closely or widely spaced! Endorsed by professional growers. Powered by single flashlight battery (included).

R2599 Vibra-Seeder. (½ lb.)**3.98**

(A) **BOLERO SALPIGLOSSIS**
F3474 2 ft. NEW! Big, colorful, velvet-textured, trumpet-shaped flowers, all with gold veining. **Pkt. 25¢**

(B) **TWINKLE STAR PHLOX**
F3130 AAS. 6 in. A twinkling display of dime-sized, star-shaped flowers, fringed and pointed. Brilliant colors, from white to crimson; contrasting edges. **Pkt. 25¢**

(C) **DOUBLE HYBRID PETUNIA, MIXED**
F3111 AAS. 12-18 in. Finest giant fully-double Petunia known! Brilliant color form a living carpet of fragrant beauty! **Pkt. 125**

(E) **CHERRY TART PETUNIA**
F2991 12 in. First free-flowering double Petunia! Vari-colored rose and white. Strong, bushy plants. **Pkt. 75¢**

FANDANGO CASCADE PETUNIA (D)
F3029 12 in. NEW for '63! Big gorgeous, blue-purple with a distinct white star. A tremendous flower and a new color combination in this class. **Pkt. 75¢**

(F) **ALL DOUBLE PORTULACA**
F3317 4 to 6 in. Large double blooms in brilliant colors. Very easy to grow! **Pkt. 25¢**
¼ oz. 1.50

PORTULACA — Moss Rose *Annual*
Broad, sprawling plants completely covered with bright, dazzling blooms all summer. Likes hot, dry soils where other plants die!
F3317 Double Mixed. (Color illus. F above)
F3320 Single-Flowered Mixed. 4 to 6 in. Large, single blooms. Pkt. **25¢**; ¼ oz. **1.25**

RICINUS *Annual*
Castor Oil Bean
F3418 Zanzibariensis. 10 ft. Use this stately plant to screen unsightly views! Huge leaves in varying shades of green to bronzy purple. Pkt. **25¢**; oz. **50¢**

SALPIGLOSSIS *Annual*
F3474 Bolero Mixed. (Color illus. A above)

SALVIAS *Annual*
F3483 Farinacea Blue Bedder. 3 ft. Wedgwood-blue flowers combine with silvery stems and foliage. Pkt. **25¢**; 1/16 oz. **1.00**
F3495 Bonfire. 2 ft. The most popular variety! Brilliant scarlet flower spikes standing well above the dark green foliage. Pkt. **25¢**
F3490 Salmon Pigmy. (Color illus. E, p. 2)
F3500 St. John's Fire. 12 to 15 in. Most brilliant scarlet blooms from mid-July till frost. Flowers early when only a few inches high. Pkt. **35¢**
F3504 Scarlet Pigmy. (Color illus. B, p. 23)

F3503 White Fire. 10-12 in. NEW! Creamy-white flowers stand out against dark green foliage. Alternate with St. John's Fire for dazzling effects. Early flowering. Pkt. **50¢**

F3486 Purple Plume. 15 in. NEW for '63! A new early-flowering color. Rich purple blooms make solid spikes. Beautiful with White Fire. Pkt. **50¢**

SCABIOSA *Annual*
F3540 Breck's Special Mixture. (Color illus. G, p. 23)

SCABIOSA *Perennial*
F3571 Isaac House Hybrids. 1½ to 2 ft. Huge flowers in shades of blue, mauve, lavender, white, with long stems. Blooms June to Sept. Pkt. **25¢**

SCHIZANTHUS *Annual*
Butterfly Flower
F3574 Angel Wings. 12-15 in. "Poor man's orchid!" Tremendously improved new strain has blooms with distinct gold centers contrasting with shades of pink, crimson, yellow, purple, lavender and rose. Neat dwarf plants with lacy, fern-like foliage. Pkt. **25¢**

SNOW-ON-THE-MOUNTAIN *Annual*
F1858 Euphorbia Variegata. 2 ft. Hardy, easy to grow. Soft green leaves edged in silvery white provide a perfect foil for other brightly-colored blooms. Repeats for years if self-sown seedlings are not disturbed. Pkt. **25¢**

SUNFLOWERS *Annual*
F3742 Giant Russian. 4-5 ft. Easily grown, decorative, hardy annuals, useful as screens or high hedges. Birds love them! Pkt. **25¢**
F3753 Italian White. 3 to 4 ft. Produce many fine 3-4 in. cut flowers. Yellow, cream to white; contrasting brown centers. Pkt. **25¢**
F3755 Double Chrysanthemum-Flowered Sun Gold. Neat blooms 4-5 in. — full and double! Brilliant yellow. Pkt. **25¢**

SWEET WILLIAMS *Annual*
F3915 Breck's Annual Mixed. 1 ft. Early-sown seed will bloom first year — often lives over several years. Wide range of beautiful colors — mottled, starred. Very fragrant. Pkt. **25¢**

SWEET WILLIAMS *Biennial*
Old-fashioned biennials for June color — splendid for bouquets. An old favorite from grandmother's garden. 1½ ft.
F3932 Breck's Single Mixture. Pkt. **25¢**
F3934 Breck's Double Mixture. Pkt. **25¢**

SWEET PEAS *Annual*
Cuthbertson Floribunda. New **warm-weather Sweet Peas** actually flower in hot weather! Vigorous, heat-resistant vines have five or more large, fragrant flowers.
F3785 Mixed Colors. An excellent blend of all the best colors in Sweet Peas.
Pkt. **25¢**; ½ oz. **75¢**; oz. **1.35**

BOUQUET GEMS SWEET PEAS
6 colors of Cuthbertson Floribunda, the heat-resistant Sweet Pea! 1 pkt. ea. of **Daisy**, pure white; **Danny**, deep blue; **David**, rosy carmine; **Frank G.**, lavender; **Evelyn**, salmon; **Ruth**, rose pink.
Order Group No. F3790 — 1.50 VALUE! All 6 for **1.00**

TRAIN-ETTES, Weatherized Netting Trellises
Ideal support for Morning Glories, Sweet Peas, etc. Won't rot like string or burn like wire.
R2695 5x6 ft. Trainettes. (¼ lb.) **75¢**; 3 for **2.20**
R2696 5x8 ft. Trainettes. (¼ lb.) **95¢**; 3 for **2.80**
R2697 5x15 ft. Trainettes. (¼ lb.) **1.35**; 3 for **3.95**

HARDY SWEET PEAS *Perennial*
F2303 Lathyrus Latifolius Mixed. 5 to 6 ft. Vigorous climber for trellis, fence, porch. Produces long-stemmed rose-pink or white blooms all summer. Pkt. **25¢**

SWAN RIVER DAISIES *Annual*
F3757 Brachycome Iberidifolia. 1 ft. Plants alive all summer with inch-wide Daisies! Clear, bright shades of blue, mauve, pink, pure white. Very easy to grow! Pkt. **25¢**

STRAWFLOWERS *Annual*
Everlasting
F2118 Helichrysum Mixed. 3 ft. Attractive in the garden and bouquets. Large, double flowers in a wide range of both subdued and brilliant colors. Cut before fully open; suspend downward in a cool place to dry. Pkt. **25¢**

SUMMER POINSETTIA *Annual*
F1856 Euphorbia heterophylla. 2 ft. Spectacular from midsummer on — when top leaves turn brilliant scarlet! Resembles Poinsettias. Grows in any soil with practically no care! Pkt. **25¢**

(A) BRECK'S GIANT ZINNIAS
Truly giant 6-in. flowers! Hundreds of blooms on long, sturdy stems. 3 ft.

Pkt. 25¢ except where noted

F4306 Canary Bird — F4310 Dream — F4286 Miss Wilmott
F4308 Crimson Monarch — F4291 Scarlet Queen — F4320 Polar Bear
F4321 Royal Purple — F4312 Exquisite — F4318 Oriole (orange-gold)
F4287 Pink Lady. Buff, pink center. Pkt. 35¢
F4329 All Colors Mixed. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 1.00

GIANT ZINNIA COLLECTION
All 6 colors illustrated in A above.

Order Group No.F4649 — 1.50 VALUE! — All 6 Pkts. 100

(B) SCARLET PYGMY SALVIA
F3504 8 in. Flaming red flowers, dwarf bushy plants, dark-green foliage —5 months of color, June to frost. Pkt. 35¢

(C) STATICE (EVERLASTING)
F3582 2 ft. Lasts for months when dried; excellent cut-flower fresh or dried. Lovely branching plants with many sprays of tiny flowers, in shades of blue, pink, yellow, white. Pkt. 25¢

(D) STATE FAIR ZINNIA
F4512 3 ft. NEW for '63! Big, gorgeous, hat-sized blooms in a full range of brilliant colors. The fully double flowers are almost globe-shaped on strong, bushy plants that are easy to grow. Grow some extra plants, so that you will have lots of flowers for enchantingly-lovely summer bouquets! Pkt. 25¢

(E) SUNSET GIANTS ZINNIA
F4265 2½ ft. NEW! A Breck's exclusive! Immense, showy blooms in beautiful soft shades of glowing pink, salmon, apricot, yellow, buff, cream and white. A golden yellow overlay, starting at the base of each petal, gives every flower a lovely sunset glow . . . a unique brightness! Pkt. 25¢ ⅛ oz. 60¢

(F) TOYLAND VIOLA
F4133 6 in. An F_2 Viola as new as tomorrow! The first hybrid Viola . . . big 2-in. flowers with graceful wavy petals in clear, sparkling colors that include apricot, gold, blue, red, mahogany, purple, black, white and many striking combinations! Plants are sturdy and compact, easy to grow. Pkt. 50¢

(G) BRECK'S SPECIAL SCABIOSA
F3540 2½ ft. New, improved strain! Big, fully double, high centered flowers on long stems. Rich shades of blue, maroon, red, white, pink, light yellow. One of the most versatile flowers for garden use and for bouquets. Blooms last a long time after cutting. Try some this year they'll delight you! Pkt. 25¢

(H) PICK FRESH STRAWBERRIES!
F3710 Dean's Improved Strain. Baron Solemacher . . . only at Breck's! Berries the first year if seed started in March . . . and from May on, in years to come! Twice the size of wild fruit with no hulls, yet with the same unique flavor! Neat, bushy plants have no runners . . . can be part of your flower garden. Pkt. 50¢

SHASTA DAISIES *Perennial*
F1315 Giant Double Shasta. 2½-3 ft. Huge double and semi-double blooms of purest white, mid-July to frost. Pkt. **50¢**
F1324 Giant Single Alaska. 2½-3 ft. Much larger than old-fashioned singles. Blooms all summer from early June. Pkt. **25¢**

SNAPDRAGON — See pages 11 & 12
STATICE — Everlasting *Annual*
F3582 Sinuata Mixed (Color illus. C, p. 23)

FRAGRANT STOCKS *Annual*
Spicily fragrant gilliflowers, marvelous for cutting; likes cool, moist growing conditions. Start indoors for best results. 2 ft.
F3640 Breck's Apricot Beauty. Finest stock ever! Pastels of apricot-pink, cream. Continuous bloom, long lasting. Pkt. **50¢**

Giants of California
F3735 Exquisite Mixture. Pkt. **25¢**

LARGE-FLOWERED VIOLAS
Tufted Pansies *Perennial*
Violas are faithful little plants — producing hundreds of gay, Pansy-like blooms in clear, sparkling self-colors all season! Charming for edging or shady nooks. 6 in.
F4133 Toyland. (Color illus. F, p. 23)

DWARF VERBENA *Annual*
F4056 Sparkle Mixed. 10 in. From scarlet-red through rose and pink to salmon, lavender, white, mid-blue and purple, this delightful mixture will blanket your borders with brilliant color all summer! Many flowers have the typical Verbena eye. Pkt. **25¢**

TALL VERBENAS *Annual*
F4048 Mixed. Handsome trailing bedding plants, with dark green foliage and broad clusters of flowers in the clearest, most brilliant colors known! Seed sown indoors in early March will bloom in June and continue until frost. Up to 18-in. high. Pkt. **25¢**

GIANT HYBRID CACTUS-FLOWERED ZINNIAS
A new race of giant "fluffy" or informal Zinnias with shaggy, quilled and curled petals! Huge blooms up to 6 in. across in a full color assortment. 3 to 4 ft.
All Pkts. **25¢**
F4300 Blaze. AAS. Fiery-red.
F4294 Snow Time. Pure white.
F4296 Riverside Beauty. Glowing Azalea pink.
F4297 Sunny Boy. Butter yellow.
F4298 Ice Cream. Pure cream.
F4490 Apricot. Coral-suffused apricot.
F4491 Gold. Golden yellow.
F4493 Pride of Dieldrin. Scarlet, orange-tipped.
F4299 All Colors Mixed. All above colors.

Breck's Giant Hybrid Cactus Zinnia Garden
A fantasy of color and beauty!
6 separate colors.
Blaze **Sunny Boy**
Snow Time **Riverside Beauty**
Apricot **Pride of Dieldrin**
No. F4497 1.50 VALUE! **1.35**

(A) F4615 Hardy Zinnia, Apache Snowflake

(B) F4492 Zinnia, Firecracker

(C) F4515 Zinnia, Old Mexico

(D) F3952 Torenia

(E) F2665 Unicorn Plant (Martynia)

GIANT, FRAGRANT STOCKS COLLECTION
1 pkt. each—5 separate colors.
Blood Red, Lavender, Rose, White, Yellow
Order Group
No. F3740 1.25 VALUE! **1.00**

TRYSOMIC 7 WEEK STOCKS FOR WARM CLIMATES
F3720 12-15 in. NEW! A warm weather stock that flowers in just 7 weeks! Neat branching plants with fully double, fragrant, brilliant flowers from pure white through pink, rose, crimson, blue, purple.
Pkt. **35¢**

STRAWBERRIES FROM SEED
F3710 Dean's Improved (Color illus. H, p. 23)

TITHONIA *Annual*
F3950 Torch (Aztec Daisy). AAS. 4-4½ ft. Long-lasting, brilliant orange-red flowers, 3-4 in. across, resemble single Dahlias. Long stems. Likes hot, sunny places. Pkt. **25¢**

TORENIA *Annual*
F3952 1 ft. One of the most beautiful annuals that should be better known. Flowers resemble little Snapdragons in gorgeous combinations of pansy purple and sky blue with yellow throat markings. Dwarf, neat, compact; wonderful edging plant good in partial shade. (See illustration D) Pkt. **25¢**

UNICORN PLANT *Annual*
F2665 Martynia. Bold, round "devil's claw" leaves, up to 12-in. across . . . with pale yellow orchid-like blooms, handsomely marked with contrasting deep purple spots in throat! Seed pods which follow the flowers, resemble fantastic birds or weird, prehistoric insects. Use for decorating! Paint them and use as gourd strings, or unique dried arrangements on mantel, buffet! (See illustration E) Pkt. **25¢**

CALIFORNIA NATIVE WILD FLOWERS
Grow Them Anywhere in U.S.A.!
Colorful, easy to grow! A spectacular mixture of native California annual flowers, selected from varieties that will grow and blossom anywhere in the U.S.A. Gorgeous cut flowers add color to any otherwise dull garden, a striking background even in waste spaces. They like sunshine or light shade. Children will enjoy these flowers, too!
F2540 1 oz., 1.50; ¼ lb. 4.50 Lge. Pkt. **50¢**

BRECK'S LILLIPUT ZINNIAS *Annual*
Pompon or Baby Zinnias
There's a wealth of cutting in each compact beauty! Small, rounded, very double flowers in gay colors. 1-2 ft.
All Pkts. **25¢** each
F4403 Black Ruby. AAS. Deep, velvety maroon.
F4405 Canary Gem. Light canary yellow.
F4411 Pink Gem. Very clear deep pink.
F4413 Salmon Gem. Rich salmon-rose.
F4414 Scarlet Gem. Brilliant red.
F4415 White Gem. Beautiful pure white.
F4417 Mixed. All colors. Pkt. **25¢**; ⅛ oz. **60¢**

LILLIPUT ZINNIA COLLECTION
5 colors from above, 1 pkt. each:
Maroon **Salmon** **Pink**
Yellow **White**
Order Group
No. F4425 1.25 VALUE! **1.00**

ALL AMERICA WINNERS
Varieties marked with this symbol . . . or the letters AAS immediately following the name . . . are **All America** winners. They are selected by expert judges, after intensive testing in every section of the U.S. Only the very best are given the right to use the All America symbol.

PERSIAN CARPET ZINNIAS
F4330 AAS. 1 ft. Blooms no bigger than a half dollar! Shades range from cream through yellow to deep mahogany; contrasting petal tips.
Pkt. **25¢**; 1/16 oz. **85¢**

F4304 Merry-Go-Round. 2 ft. A real bicolor Zinnia! Two distinct contrasting colors in each flower. Combinations such as red and gold, purple and white, rose and gold, etc. Hardly any two alike! Petal arrangement and color create an illusion of "merry-go-round" motion! Heavy-textured flowers are longer-lasting in bouquets! Pkt. **25¢**

Red Man Zinnia
F4496 AAS. 24 in. NEW! 1962 All-America Bronze Medal winner! Huge, flaming scarlet blooms, the most brilliant imaginable — up to 5½-in! Strong, bushy plants. Pkt. **50¢**

Old Mexico Zinnia
F4515 15 in. NEW! 1962 All-America Silver Medal winner! Exotic, warm-hued, two-tone double flowers of deep mahogany red, edged with golden yellow! (Illus. C) Pkt. **50¢**

F4500 Miss Universe. 2 ft. A completely new Zinnia with gigantic, perfectly-formed flowers up to 7-in. across on long, strong stems. Lovely shades of pink, gold, red orange and soft pastels, including many exciting two-tone combinations. Pkt. **25¢**

CUPID ZINNIAS
F4547 Mixed. 6-8 in. Cute as a button and neat as a pin! Compact plants smothered with bright, shining flowers of the pompon type. Pkt. **25¢**; ⅛ oz. **60¢**

Grand Canyon Zinnias
F4494 2 ft. NEW for '63! Big, intensely quilled Cactus Zinnias, flowers 5-in. and up! Many combinations of two and three colors, reminiscent of the coloring in the Grand Canyon country. An indescribable rainbow of shadings never before seen in Zinnias! Pkt. **35¢**

F4265 Sunset Giants. (Color illus. E, p. 23)
F4512 State Fair. (Color illus. D, p. 23)
F4620 Thumbelina. (Color illus. F, p. 2)

HARDY ZINNIA
F4615 Apache Snowflakes. 6-8 in. NEW for '63! A unique new Zinnia that's dwarf, extremely hardy and **perennial!** Pure white, single flowers cover the plant day after day — all summer — year after year. Grows anywhere — not troubled by pests. You must grow Apache Snowflakes to believe it! Pkt. **50¢**
F4492 Firecracker. AAS. 30 in. (Illus. B) Clear, rich red with scarlet undertones. The first F1 hybrid Zinnia and the largest Cactus flower with flowers over 6-in. across! Even with this enormous size, the quilled and waved petals give the flowers a light and delicate appearance. Mildew-resistant foliage. Pkt. **50¢**

DWARF DEFIANCE ZINNIAS *Annual*
Cut and Come Again
Ideal for cut-flowers and low borders where the larger flowered Zinnias are too tall. Medium-sized blooms; 2 ft.
F4386 Choice Mixed. Pkt. **25¢**; ⅛ oz. **60¢**

GARDEN OF ZINNIAS
6 outstanding types, 1 pkt. ea. Full color range in each type.

Cactus-Flowered	**Sunset Giants**
Dahlia-Flowered	**Persian Carpet**
Ortho Polka	**Cupid**

Order Group No. F4550 1.50 VALUE! **1.00**

ORTHO POLKA ZINNIA
F4392 3 ft. NEW, DIFFERENT AND EXCITING! Huge 5-in. flowers in all the Zinnia colors — red, pink, white, lavender, salmon orange, etc. are striped, mottled and dotted with contrasting colors. Hardly any two flowers are alike! Pkt. **25¢**

BRECK'S GIANT ZINNIAS
Breck's Giant Zinnias are truly giant! Chosen from the best of the California Giant and Dahlia flowered types for huge 6 in. flowers in the newest and best colors, they produce hundreds of blooms on long sturdy stems. 3 ft. (Color Illus. A, page 23) Pkt. **25¢**, except where noted.
F4306 Canary Bird. Rich canary yellow.
F4310 Dream. Deep rosy lavender.
F4312 Exquisite. Light rose, deep center.
F4286 Miss Wilmott. Clear pink.
F4308 Crimson Monarch. Velvety crimson.
F4318 Oriole. Orange and gold.
F4287 Pink Lady. Buff outer petals, pink center. Pkt. **35¢**.
F4320 Polar Bear. White.
F4321 Royal Purple. Rich purple.
F4291 Scarlet Queen. Deep shining scarlet.
F4329 Mixed. All color. Pkt. **25¢**; ¼ oz. **1.00**

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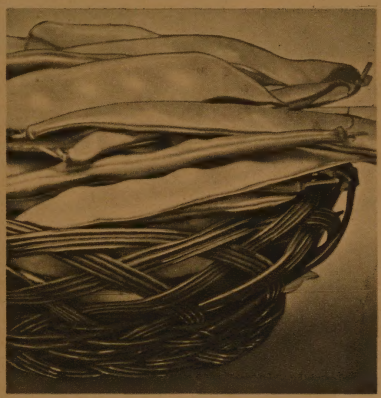
(A) V5283 Beet, Harvard

(B) V5016 French Bean, Triomphe de Farcy


(C) V5231 Italian Pole Bean, Romano

(D) V5117 Lima Bean, Fordhook 242. AAS

BRECK'S TRIPLE-TESTED

VEGETABLE SEEDS

Alphabetical Listing

IMPORTED "FRENCH" BEANS
V5016 Triomphe de Farcy. 45 days. First to mature! Straight, slim, stringless, round green pod. **Pick when 4½-in. long.** Delicious, easy to grow. 15-in. plant (Illus. B) Pkt. **55¢**; ½ lb. **95¢**; 1 lb. **1.75**

GREEN SNAP BUSH BEANS *1 lb. will sow about 50 feet*
V5017 Pearlgreen. AAS. 53 days. Bushy vigorous, mosaic-resistant, all-purpose bean with round, straight, 6-in. green pods. Firm flesh, white seeds. ½ lb. **70¢**; lb. **1.25**; 5 lbs. **5.95**

V5019 Topcrop. (See color illus. D, p. 26)
V5031 Executive. AAS. 55 days, NEW for '63! Full, round, stringless, dark green pods are very meaty, with excellent flavor. A very heavy cropper. Plant at two week intervals and harvest beans all summer. Pkt. **50¢**; ½ lb. **90¢**; lb. **1.65**

V5023 Contender. 55 days. Splendid new, flat, green bean . . . tender and succulent. ½ lb. **50¢**; lb. **95¢**; 5 lbs. **4.50**

V5024 Stringless Green Pod. 50 days. Round. ½ lb. **45¢**: lb. **85¢**; 5 lbs. **4.00**

V5029 Harvester. 50 days. NEW! Vigorous, disease-resistant. Big crop of long, straight, medium-green pods of best garden quality. White-seeded for better cooking quality. Pick when about the size of a pencil. ½ lb. **70¢**; lb. **1.25**; 5 lbs. **5.95**

V5027 Gardengreen. AAS. 52 days. Superseding Improved Tendergreen, this new heavy-cropping bean has long, 5½-in. straight, round, stringless and fiberless pods. Strong, bushy plants hold pods well off the ground. All America Bronze Medal winner. ½ lb. **70¢**; lb. **1.25**; 5 lbs. **5.95**
V5028 Bountiful. 49 days. Popular flat bean. ½ lb. **45¢**; lb. **85¢**; 5 lbs. **4.00**

BAKING VARIETIES 95 days. ½ lb. **50¢**; lb. **90¢**; 5 lbs. **4.30**
V5096 Red Kidney. **V5108 Yellow Eye Impr.**

BUSH SHELL BEANS *1 lb. sows 50 feet*
V5086 French's Horticultural. 65 days. Finest shell bean! Distinctive, different flavor. Prolific! 7-8 in. crimson-splashed pods. ½ lb. **55¢**; lb. **1.00**; 5 lbs. **4.75**
V5052 Low's Champion (Red Cranberry). 55 days. ½ lb. **55¢**; lb. **1.00**; 5 lbs. **4.75**

NEW ITALIAN POLE BEAN
V5231 Romano. 70 days. NEW for '63! (Illus. C) Our most popular pole bean has been improved! Jumbo crops of long, wide-podded, perfectly stringless beans with even better flavor. Best for small gardens. You pick beans all summer from a small plot. Tan seeds with slight markings. Pkt. **45¢**; ½ lb. **75¢**; lb. **1.40**

POLE BEANS *1 lb. will sow about 200 hills*
Pkt. **25¢**; ½ lb. **50¢**; lb. **90¢**; 5 lbs. **4.30** except where otherwise priced.
V5213 White-Seeded Kentucky Wonder. 65 days. "Kentucky Wonder" flavor without strings! Long, straight, green.
V5211 Kentucky Wonder (Old Homestead). 60 days.
V5226 Worcester Horticultural. 80 days. Climbing bush type. Pick until frost.
V5233 Scarlet Runner. 90 days.
V5218 Kentucky Wonder Wax. 67 days. Yellow form of Kentucky Wonder. Pkt. **30¢**; ½ lb. **55¢**; lb. **1.00**; 5 lbs. **4.75**

YELLOW WAX BUSH BEANS *1 lb. will sow about 50 feet*
V5063 Earliwax. (Color illus. A, p. 26)
V5068 Pencil-Pod Black Wax. 54 days. ½ lb. **50¢**; lb. **90¢**; 5 lbs. **4.30**
V5062 Golden Wax, Imp. Rustproof. 48 days. ½ lb. **55¢**; lb. **1.00**; 5 lbs. **4.75**
V5064 Sure Crop Wax (Golden Bountiful). 53 days. Rich, golden butter beans, thick pods. ½ lb. **50¢**; lb. **90¢**; 5 lbs. **4.30**

LIMA BUSH BEANS *1 lb. sows 50 feet*
½ lb. **50¢**; lb. **95¢**; 5 lbs. **4.50**
V5117 Fordhook No. 242. AAS. 74 days. Leading bush lima for eating, canning, freezing. Large, thick, light green beans have a dry, mealy quality. 4-in. pods. (Illus. D)
V5121 Dixie Butterpea. 70 days. Early, dependable, prolific. Well-filled 3-in. pods.

POLE LIMA BEANS *1 lb. sows 75 hills*
Pkt. **25¢**; ½ lb. **50¢**; lb. **95¢**; 5 lbs. **4.50**
V5201 King of the Garden. 90 days. Enormous crop in small space. Beans are large, light green, meaty and fine flavored. Freeze, can or dry them.
V5207 Sieva. (Small Pole Lima). 77 days. Will produce in hot weather. Beans are small, smooth, splendid quality.

3 POPULAR BUSH BEANS
TOP CROP — Green Snap
Earliwax — Yellow Wax
FRENCH'S HORTICULTURAL — Shell

½ lb. ea. above	1 lb. ea. above
Order Group	**Order Group**
No. V8503	**No. V8504**
1.80 VALUE!	3.25 VALUE!
1.35	**2.50**

(A) EARLIWAX BEAN
V5063 56 days. NEW! Early, heavy cropping, white-seeded, disease-resistant. Long golden-yellow pods, stringless! Best for flavor! Good for freezing, canning.
½ lb. **70¢**; lb. **1.25**; 5 lbs. **5.95**

(B) CREAM-O-GOLD SWEET CORN
V5756. (Hybrid.) 88 days. Superb quality; delicious uniform tenderness; easy to grow. 8 to 9-in. ears with 8 or 10 rows of kernels. Cob thin as a lead pencil, extra-deep kernels with a thin, tender skin. **(SOLD ONLY BY BRECK'S.)**
Pkt. **25¢**; ½ lb. **60¢**; lb. **1.10**

(C) WALTHAM HI-COLOR CARROT
V5526 70 days. The brightest orange carrot we've seen! Long, slender roots; sweet and tender; full of vitamins. Raw or cooked, it brightens any meal! So easy to grow!
Pkt. **25¢**; ½ oz. **50¢**; oz. **85¢**

(D) TOPCROP BEAN
V5019 52 days. **AAS.** Best green round bean. Long, meaty, 6-in. pods, tender and stringless. For continuous supply, plant every 2 weeks from May to mid-July. Excellent quality for table, canning and freezing.
½ lb. **55¢**; lb. **1.00**; 5 lbs. **4.75**

(E) CROSBY'S EGYPTIAN BEET
V5272 Breck's Arlington Strain. 55 days. Best early beet! Tender tops make delicious greens. Sow directly in garden early in spring and every 3 weeks for all-summer supply.
Pkt. **15¢**; ½ oz. **30¢**; oz. **50¢**; ¼ lb. **1.50**

(F) WALTHAM 29 BROCCOLI
V5318 80 days. Superior, new hot-weather strain that does well when others fail. Enjoy from early summer to freezing. Low-growing. Plants produce medium size heads of finest quality and flavor.
Pkt. **25¢**; ½ oz. **75¢**; oz. **1.35**; ¼ lb. **4.00**

BEETS *1 ounce should sow about 50 feet*

Pkt. **15¢**; ½ oz. **25¢**; oz. **45¢**; ¼ lb. **1.25**
unless otherwise priced.

V5272 Crosby's Egyptian, Breck's Arlington Strain. 55 days. (Illus. E, above) See prices above

V5274 Early Wonder. 52 days. Fast-growing, top-quality beet for very early summer eating. Tender, sweet and uniform.

V5279 Beats All. 60 days. Excellent early, main crop beet. Small tops, with smooth, globe-shaped roots of rich blood-red.

V5283 Harvard. 60 days. Superb quality! Blood-red roots quickly attain good size. (Illus. A, p. 25)

V5297 Detroit Dark Red. 58 days. Excellent main crop beet. Smooth, dark-red roots.

V5303 Ruby Queen. AAS. 52 days. Perfect globe-shaped roots of rich red with only a trace of rings. 10-in. tops.
Pkt. **15¢**; ½ oz. **35¢**; oz. **60¢**; ¼ lb. **1.75**

V5306 Winter Keeper. 75 days. Splendid late variety. Long ovoid, blood-red roots. Sweet and tender even after winter storage!

V5308 Beets for Greens. Vitamin-rich greens all summer; sow seed every 2 or 3 weeks.
Pkt. **15¢**; oz. **35¢**; ¼ lb. **1.00**

BRUSSELS SPROUTS

1 ounce will produce about 2000 plants.

V5334 Jade Cross. AAS. Silver Medal. 110 days. Vigorous, 22-in. F1 hybrid plants that out-produce all other varieties! Uniform stems closely packed with the delicious, blue-green sprouts. (Illus.)
Pkt. **50¢**

V5336 Catskill. 120 days. Firm, compact, dark green and tasty. Grown by commercial growers everywhere! Every plant produces a tremendous quantity of sweet, delicate sprouts. Splendid for freezing.
Pkt. **25¢**; ¼ oz. **1.00**

BROCCOLI *1 ounce of seed produces about 2000 plants.*

V5318 Waltham 29. (Illus. F above)

V5311 Riviera. 70 days. An improved type, valued for tenderness and flavor. 3-ft. high, branching. Start in cold-frame for early crop. Start late crops in open ground. Pkt. **25¢**; ½ oz. **90¢**; oz. **1.65**

CAULIFLOWER

1 ounce of seed will produce about 2000 plants.

V5502 White Bouquet. 55 days. The finest, whitest cauliflower yet! Close-packed, fine-grained head broken into tiny florets. Easiest to grow, it has large, uniform heads . . . compact, snow white, and sweet.
Pkt. **25¢**; ⅛ oz. **1.00**; ¼ oz. **1.75**; ½ oz. **3.00**

V5506 Early Snowball. 55 days.
Pkt. **25¢**; ⅛ oz. **1.00**; ¼ oz. **1.75**; ½ oz. **3.00**

V5509 Early Purple Head. 80 days. Novelty cauliflower. Lavender-purple heads turn green when cooked. Tastier than white, easier to grow.
Pkt. **25¢**; ⅛ oz. **1.00**; ¼ oz. **1.75**; ½ oz. **3.00**

CHINESE CABBAGE

1 oz. of seed produces about 5000 plants.

V5424 Michihli. 75 days. Fresh, it makes crisp, tasty salads — boiled, it has a more-delicate-than-cabbage flavor. Easy-to-grow . . . garden-fresh over a long season. Pkt. **15¢**; ½ oz. **60¢**; oz. **1.00**; ¼ lb. **3.00**

CABBAGE *1 ounce of seed produces about 2000 plants.*

V5357 Golden Acre. 62 days. Fine variety for early summer eating. Compact, permits close planting.
Pkt. **15¢**; ½ oz. **50¢**; oz. **85¢**; ¼ lb. **2.50**

V5364 Early Jersey Wakefield. 66 days.
Pkt. **15¢**; ½ oz. **50¢**; oz. **85¢**; ¼ lb. **2.50**

V5368 Danish Ballhead. 110 days. Exceptionally good late cabbage. Large, solid, rich in flavor, crisp and tender. Keeps flavor in storage. Best kraut.
Pkt. **15¢**; ½ oz. **50¢**; oz. **85¢**; ¼ lb. **2.50**

V5391 Savoy Winchester. 90 days.
Pkt. **15¢**; ½ oz. **50¢**; oz. **85¢**; ¼ lb. **2.50**

V5407 Red Rock. 100 days. The best of the red-purple cabbages. Delicious mild flavor. One of finest for winter storing.
Pkt. **15¢**; ½ oz. **50¢**; oz. **85¢**; ¼ lb. **2.50**

CABBAGE, Continued

V5412 Bonanza. 75 days. All-season cabbage — firm, round heads, even when small. Cut early or let stand. Remains in perfect condition for weeks. Short cord, with slender ribs — tender in all stages.
Pkt. **25¢**; ½ oz. **85¢**; oz. **1.50**; ¼ lb. **4.50**

V5356 Emerald Cross. 60 days. **AAS.** Silver Medal. NEW for '63! A vigorous, F hybrid with very early, round, solid heads, about 7-in. across. Heads are extremely compact and well blanched inside. Excellent home garden cabbage.
Pkt. **50¢**; ¼ oz. **1.25**

CELERY *1 ounce of seed will produce about 3000 plants.*

V5612 Golden Self Blanching. 115 days.
Pkt. **25¢**; ½ oz. **70¢**; oz. **1.25**; ¼ lb. **3.75**

V5630 Summer Pascal. 120 days. Fine early variety. Plump, tender and stringless.
Pkt. **25¢**; ¼ oz. **75¢**; ½ oz. **1.25**; oz. **2.25**

V5634 Golden Plume (Wonderful). 115 days.
Pkt. **25¢**; ½ oz. **70¢**; oz. **1.25**; ¼ lb. **3.75**

V5642 Giant Pascal. 135 days. For late fall and winter. Blanches creamy-white.
Pkt. **15¢**; ½ oz. **60¢**; oz. **1.00**; ¼ lb. **3.00**

CARROTS CRISP & FULL OF VITAMINS!

1 ounce will sow about 50 feet

V5525 Breck's Golden Beauty (Color illus. A, p. 27)

V5542 Supreme Half-Long Breck's Choice. 75 days.
Pkt. **15¢**; ½ oz. **45¢**; oz. **75¢**; ¼ lb. **2.25**

V5527 Gold Pak. 77 days. **AAS.** Bronze Medal winner. Long, very slender and smooth. Crisp, tender, mild and sweet-flavored . . . ideal for salads and eating raw.
Pkt. **25¢**; ½ oz. **50¢**; oz. **85¢**; ¼ lb. **2.50**

V5564 Danvers Half-Long. 75 days.
Pkt. **15¢**; ½ oz. **45¢**; oz. **75¢**; ¼ lb. **2.25**

V5570 Tendersweet. 77 days. Good for the home garden. Roots average 8 to 10-in. long and are better flavored than any other long carrot. Ideal for winter use. Pkt. **25¢**; ½ oz. **40¢**; oz. **65¢**; ¼ lb. **1.95**

V5526 Waltham Hicolor. (Illus. C above)

V5588 Midget Early Scarlet. 64 days (Illus. B, p. 29) Tender, sweet, bite-size carrots for gourmet dining. You will find many uses for these quick-growing 2-in. roots. Sow seed every 4-5 weeks and enjoy them all summer. Pkt. **25¢**; ½ oz. **50¢**; oz. **1.85**

(A) GOLDEN BEAUTY CARROT
V5525 68 days. Sweetest, most tender and delicately flavored carrot we have ever offered! Very easy to grow, good keeper, nicely formed . . . rich in vitamins and low in calories. A Breck's specialty!
Pkt. **25¢**; ½ oz. **50¢**; oz. **85¢**; ¼ lb. **2.50**

(B) GOLDEN MIDGET SWEET CORN
V5721 68 days. Neat, low growing 3-ft. corn with the tenderness and sweetness of Golden Bantam. Has small well-filled ears and deep butter-yellow kernels.
Pkt. **50¢**; ½ lb. **85¢**; lb. **1.50**

(C) BUTTERCRUNCH LETTUCE
V6034 82 days. **AAS** Silver Medal. Thick, crisp tender leaves fold inward to make a solid, heavy head with delicious, juicy flavor. Similar to Bibb, but larger and even more heat-resistant. Highest quality for home gardens!
Pkt. **35¢**; ½ oz. **1.00**

(D) OAK LEAF LETTUCE
V6132 53 days. Tender all-season lettuce . . . crisp and mild-flavored, even during heat of summer. Small plantings every 2 or 3 weeks will give daily pickings from spring to frost.
Pkt. **25¢**; ½ oz. **45¢**; oz. **75¢**

(E) SURECROP HYBRID CUCUMBER
V5832 AAS. 58 days. Best early hybrid, yields an amazing crop of big, slender, delicious slicing cukes. A true hybrid, disease resistant, and a heavy yielder. The crisp, white flesh is mild, thick and delicious.
Pkts. Only (30 seeds) **35¢**

(F) EARLY MIDGET WATERMELON
V6277 80 days. F1 Hybrid ice-box watermelon. Almost-round fruits average 6 lbs. . . . flesh is crisp and red, with black seeds. The vigorous vines produce lots of juicy watermelons!
Pkt. **50¢**; ½ oz. **3.00**; oz. **5.00**

HOME-GROWN CORN

TENDER AND SWEET

V5756 Cream-O-Gold. (Color illus. B, p. 26)
V5722 Extra Early White Pearl. 70 days. Highest quality white table corn in existence!
Pkt. **25¢**; ½ lb. **50¢**; lb. **95¢**

V5732 Golden Bantam. Breck's Choice. (True Strain). 75 days. As much of an institution with us as the 4th of July! Our Golden Bantam hasn't lost one whit of its toothsome sweetness that made it famous.
Pkt. **25¢**; ½ lb. **40¢**; lb. **70¢**

V5735 Eskimo. (Hybrid). 65 days. Earliest, best available! Disease, cold resistant. Dark green foliage; large, sweet kernels. Pkt. **25¢**; ½ lb. **60¢**; lb. **1.10**

V5742 Sunlite. 70 days. Earliest yellow hybrid sweet corn, high yielding. 10 or 12-rowed ears set with perfectly formed yellow kernels. Sweet flavor.
Pkt. **25¢**; ½ lb. **55¢**; lb. **1.00**

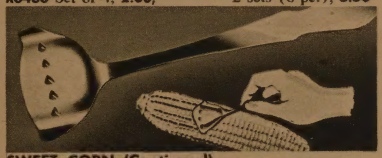
V5743 Golden Beauty. Hybrid. 70 days. Silver Medal winner (**AAS** 1955). Especially valuable for short season areas because of its earliness. High yield, attractive 6-in. ears and sugar-sweet, rich yellow kernels.
Pkt. **35¢**; ½ lb. **55¢**; lb. **1.00**

V5760 Carmelcross. (Hybrid) 78 days. Heavy producer with 8-in. ears of superior quality.
Pkt. **25¢**; ½ lb. **50¢**; lb. **95¢**
V5766 Paymaster. (Hybrid.) 97 days. Deep rich yellow kernels. Pkt. **25¢**; ½ lb. **50¢**; lb. **95¢**

V5787 Golden Cross Bantam. (Hybrid) 88 days. The standard of excellence in sweet corn! Enormous yield, uniform size. Ears are 8-in. long; 10 to 14 rows. Butter-yellow kernels are sugar-sweet, succulent and tender. Pkt. **25¢**; ½ lb. **55¢**; lb. **1.00**
V5802 Country Gentleman. 97 days. White.
Pkt. **25¢**; ½ lb. **45¢**; lb. **80¢**
V5807 Stowell's Evergreen. 99 days.
Pkt. **25¢**; ½ lb. **45¢**; lb. **80¢**

STAINLESS CORN SLITTERS

Love corn? Hate shells that lodge between your teeth? Handy stainless steel table tool ends corn-in-teeth problems . . . makes corn tastier, easier to eat and digest! Just draw it down cob . . . 5 tiny prongs slit every kernel in several rows at once. 5" long.
(½ lb. per set)
R6436 Set of 4, **2.00**; 2 sets (8 pc.), **3.50**



SWEET CORN (Continued)

MIDGET SWEET CORN

V5720 Breck's Harvard Hybrid. 78 days. Sold exclusively by Breck's! The 6-in. ears are well-filled with the most tender, sugary-sweet kernels you've ever tasted! Pkt. **35¢**; ½ lb. **55¢**; lb. **1.00**
V5721 Mason's Golden Midget (Illus. B above and illus. F, p. 29)
V5745 White Midget. 65 days. Grows about 30-in. tall, with two to five ears, 4-in. long, on each stalk.
Pkt. **50¢**; ½ lb. **1.00**; lb. **1.85**

ALL-SUMMER CORN
1 pkt. each: Sunlite, Carmelcross, Golden Cross Bantam, Paymaster
1.00 VALUE!
Order No. V8536 — 4 Pkts. **80¢**

Why plant corn over a long period of time? Sow these 4 varieties at the same time and they'll ripen in succession 10 weeks after planting 'til the end of summer! For best results, plant short rows, side by side, rather than 1 long row.

CORN BORER TROUBLE?

Let **RYATOX** control them effectively! Use as dust or spray (1 lb. to 6 gallons water.) Much safer than DDT!
R3039 14-oz. Ryatox. (Wt. 1 lb.) **98¢**
R3040 4-lbs. Ryatox. (Wt. 4 lbs.) **2.89**

CUCUMBERS

V5833 China Long. 75 days. NEW! Remarkable flavor and eating quality — no "after effects"! 20-in. long fruit, approx. 2-in. diam. Flesh is very crisp, firm and white. Grow on trellis for long, straight fruits.
Pkt. **25¢**; ½ oz. **50¢**; oz. **85¢**
V5839 Breck's Perfection. 60 days. Superior crisp, cool slicing cuke. A great favorite with home gardeners. Rich, dark green, medium-sized uniform fruits . . . solid flesh of exceptional flavor.
Pkt. **25¢**; ½ oz. **65¢**; oz. **1.15**
V5832 Surecrop Hybrid. AAS. (Illus. E above)
V5847 Marketer. AAS. 65 days. Small seed cavity. Famous for its big yield. Pkt. **15¢**; oz. **50¢**; ¼ lb. **1.50**
V5856 Arlington White Spine. 60 days.
Pkt. **15¢**; oz. **50¢**; ¼ lb. **1.50**
V5869 Longfellow. 70 days. 12 to 16 in.
Pkt. **15¢**; oz. **50¢**; ¼ lb. **1.50**
V5872 Straight-8. AAS. 68 days.
Pkt. **15¢**; oz. **50¢**; ¼ lb. **1.50**
V5867 White Wonder. 58 days. Creamy white skin; mild, delicious flesh; few seeds.
Pkt. **25¢**; ½ oz. **50¢**; oz. **85¢**
V5883 West India Gherkin. 60 days. Distinct type. Produces great quantities of tiny fruits.
Pkt. **15¢**; oz. **50¢**; ¼ lb. **1.50**
V5885 Hycrop Hybrid (Pickling). 54 days. Early new hybrid is more slender, has deeper skin color and crisper, sweeter flavored flesh. Equally good in all stages for gherkins, dill, bread and butter, or sliced pickles. Vigorous. Pkt. **35¢**
V5884 Boston Pickling. 58 days.
Pkt. **15¢**; oz. **50¢**; ¼ lb. **1.50**

BABY HYBRID CUCUMBER

V5841 Spartan Dawn. 50 days. NEW for '63! Prolific, disease-resistant cuke. Loads of small, dark green fruits for pickling or slicing. (Illus. D, p. 29)
Pkt. **35¢**; ½ oz. **85¢**

FREE TEST SEEDS!

For early orders

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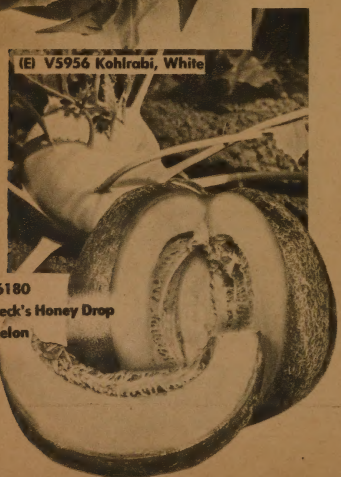
(A) V5930 Endive, Salad King

GROW YOUR OWN LUSCIOUS
SALAD FIXINGS

(B) V6028 Lettuce, Premier Great Lakes. AAS.

(C) V5903 Egg Plant, Ace of Spades

(D) V6140 Lettuce, Matchless



(E) V5956 Kohlrabi, White

(F) V6180 Breck's Honey Drop Melon

CELERIAC *1 oz. of seed will produce about 3000 plants*
V5675 Large Prague. 110 days. Unique for flavoring soups, salads, stews. Large roots with nut-like flavor. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢

CHICORY *1 ounce of seed will sow a 100 ft. row*
V5446 Witloof. 150 days. Known as French Endive. Seed sown in May produces forcing size roots by fall. Can be home grown all winter. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢

V5454 Asparagus. See Dandelion, Italian.

COLLARDS
V5691 Georgia Green. 80 days. Popular in the south. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. 1.50

CORN SALAD
V5695 Large-Leaved. 60 days. A mild tasting green with an entirely different flavor. Large leaves are tender, crisp for salads; cooked like spinach, they're delicious, unusual. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 60¢

DANDELION *1 oz. sows a 200 foot row*
V5916 American Improved. 95 days. Far superior to the wild variety. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; oz. 1.50; ¼ lb. 4.50
V5454 Italian Dandelion. Ciccoria Catalogna.Radichette. 60 days. Rapid growing early green. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢

ENDIVE *1 oz. of seed sows about 3000 plants*
V5930 Salad King. 85 days. Dense heads of delicious, tender, fine curled leaves. Best hot-weather variety. (Illustration A) Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢
V5931 Full Heart Batavian (Escarolle). **AAS.** 85 days. Large, compact heads. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. 1.50
V5938 Green Curled. 90 days. Dense. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. 1.50

EGGPLANT *1 oz. of seed sows about 1000 plants*
V5903 Ace of Spades. (Hybrid) 70 days. Tremendously prolific new hybrid with fine, uniform, rich deep purplish-black fruits well off the ground. Quality is excellent: delicate, fine-textured. (Illus. C) Pkt. 35¢
V5905 Extra Early Long Purple. 75 days. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. 2.50
V5907 Black Beauty. 80 days. Handsome large fruits of deep purplish-black. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. 2.50
V5909 New Hampshire Hybrid. AAS. 68 days. Early. Medium sized, oval, purple fruits. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. 2.50

KALE *1 ounce of seed sows about 2000 plants*
V5972 Dwarf Blue Curled Scotch. 85 days. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 50¢
V5974 Siberian or Winter. 65 days. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. 1.50

KOHLRABI *1 oz. of seed sows a 150 ft. row*
V5956 Early White Vienna. 55 days. Delicate flavor — fine grained flesh. (Illus. E) Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. 1.00; ¼ lb. 3.00
V5958 Early Purple Vienna. 60 days. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. 1.00; ¼ lb. 3.00

LEEKS *1 oz. of seed will sow a 100 ft. row*
V6014 Large American Flag. 150 days. Hardy, vigorous, excellent winter sort. Bulbs are long and uniform. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 1.10

HONEY-SWEET MUSKEMELONS
1 ounce of seed will sow about 60 hills
V6180 Breck's Honey Drop. 85 days. Finest melon! Thick juicy flesh, wonderful rich orange color and delightful fragrance! (Illus. F) Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 70¢; ½ oz. 1.15
V6185 Granite State. AAS. 85 days. Orange flesh. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 70¢; ½ oz. 1.15
V6224 Rocky Ford. 87 days. Sweet green flesh. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. 1.50
V6189 Saticoy Hybrid. 90 days. NEW for '63! Thick, sweet, firm, dark orange flesh, with a very small seed cavity, makes this a splendid garden canteloupe. Real hybrid vigor, plus disease resistance, make it easy to grow. Pkt. (40 seeds) 50¢

BRECK'S VEGETABLE SPRAY-DUST
Scientifically-formulated spray and dust combination controls bean beetles, insects, diseases on vegetables! Use as a dust or spray. Instr. incl. (See page 58)
R2049 ½ lb. Squeeze Can. (Wt. ½ lb.) 65¢

Breck's Crisp, Garden-Fresh
LETTUCE

Heading and Iceberg Types
1 oz. will produce about 3000 plants
V6037 Sweetheart. 82 days. About one third larger and heavier than **White Boston,** which it replaces in our list. Heads are very uniform, crisp, deep and butter-yellow inside. Outside leaves are smooth, straight and light green, showing exceptional tolerance to tip burn. Another step in our program to bring you the very latest and the best. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢
V6085 Tom Thumb. 60 days. Unusually fine small heads, perfect for individual salads. (Illus. A, p. 29) Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢
V6103 California Iceberg. 82 days. Select strain of Imperial. The curled, dark leaves form medium-large, crispy heads. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. 1.00; ¼ lb. 3.00
V6141 Bibb. 57 days. Fine quality, small, headed variety with deep green leaves; interior branches to yellowish green. Excellent for spring and late summer sowing. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢
V6034 Buttercrunch. AAS. (Color illus. C, p. 27)
V6028 Premier Great Lakes, AAS. 75 days. Early Iceberg type. Superb, crisp heads even in mid-summer. Crinkled leaves fold inward, blanching the solid heads to a cool, crisp whiteness. Excellent home garden variety. (Illustration B) Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. 1.00; ¼ lb. 3.00
V6025 May King. 63 days. Plants of medium size with light green outer leaves surrounding a tightly folded heart. Unsurpassed early. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. 2.25

Loose-Leaf Types
V6140 Matchless. 65 days. Attractive rich, dark green, crispy, tender leaves can be picked in quantity from May to November! Flavor is superb . . . always sweet and delicate. Gourmets agree this is the best for crisp tossed salads. (Illus. D) Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. 1.00
V6109 Salad Bowl. AAS. 50 days. One head fits a salad bowl. Has a perfect rosette of rich, green, tender, fine-textured leaves. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. 1.00
V6132 Oak Leaf. (Color illus. D, p. 27)
V6122 Slobolt. 45 days. More heat resistant than older varieties. Moderate size, deeply frilled. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. 1.00
V6129 Black Seeded Simpson. 43 days. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. 1.25
V6119 Ruby. AAS. 42 days. The red lettuce that makes your salads different! Loose-leaf, non-heading with an abundance of frilled and crumpled, rich bronze-red leaves. Heat resistant, non-fading, slow to bolt, to seed. Tender and sweet to taste. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. 1.00; ¼ lb. 3.00
V6142 White Paris Cos (Romaine). 70 days. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. 1.25

BRECK'S SALAD GARDEN
1 pkt. ea. Breck's Perfection Cucumber, Matchless Lettuce, Cherry Belle Radish, Curled Cress, Waltham Scarlet Tomato, Golden Beauty Carrot. They'll combine endless ways for crisp, zesty salads!
Order Group No. V8547 **1.00**
1.40 VALUE! 6 Pkts.,

WATERMELONS *1 oz. of seed will plant 30 hills*
V6273 New Hampshire Midget. 75 days. True watermelon, only muskmelon size with few seeds! Vines compact, early. (Illus. C, p. 29) Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. 1.15
V6277 Early Midget Hybrid. (Color illus. F, p. 27)
V6282 Golden Midget. 65 days. NEW! At last! A watermelon with a built-in ripeness indicator. No more squeezing, thumping or guessing — turns a beautiful golden yellow when it's ripe. Very early; sweet red flesh. Ice-box size. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; oz. 1.50
V6287 Rhode Island Red. 89 days. Very early and extra sweet. Medium size, 8 to 12 lb. fruits with bright, pink-red flesh. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. 1.15
V6286 Hybrid Dixie Queen. 83 days. Early oval striped watermelon. Pkt. 35¢
V6276 Japanese Seedless. 80 days. Big, juicy . . . no hard seed! Easy to grow. Sow with another early variety for cross pollination. Pkts. only (12 seeds) 1.00

BRECK'S MIDGET VEGETABLES

TOM THUMB LETTUCE
V6085 Tiny, individual salad-size heads . . . good to eat . . . good for midget gardens. Pkt. **15c**

MIDGET EARLY SCARLET CARROT
V5588 Early, short and very sweet. Saves space by allowing for two crops. Pkt. **25c**

They take less space — let you enjoy "home-grown" quality even in a small garden! You'll love their fresh flavor!

SPECIAL! MIDGET COLLECTION
1 pkt. each of six midgets illustrated.
Order Group No. 8527 All six, **1.25**
1.75 VALUE!

N. H. MIDGET WATERMELON
V6273 A real watermelon — refrigerator-size — for small gardens, small families. Sweet and juicy — very few seeds. Pkt. **25c**

SPARTAN DAWN BABY CUKE
V5841 Prolific, disease-resistant hybrid. Small, dark green cukes perfect for pickling or slicing. 4-5-in. long. Pkt. **35c**

TINY TIM TOMATO
V7173 The tiniest Tomato! Bright red bite-size fruits, not over 1-in., on small plants. May be grown on porch or patio. Pkt. **25c**

MASON'S MIDGET CORN
V5721 No space for Corn? Try this sweet, tender Midget . . . only 3 ft. tall . . . but what flavor! Pkt. **50c**

MUSTARD
1 oz. of seed will plant about 100 feet

V6167 Green Wave. AAS. 60 days. Longest-lasting, slowest bolting strain available. Nice curling, dark green color. Pkt. **25c**; ½ oz. **45c**; oz. **75c**; ¼ lb. **2.25**

OKRA, or GUMBO
1 oz. of seed should produce about 250 plants

V6407 Emerald (Dwarf Long Pod). 55 days. Vigorous and highly productive in short seasons. Pods are darker and smoothly rounded.
Pkt. **25c**; oz. **50c**; ¼ lb. **1.50**

ONIONS
1 oz. of seed will sow at least 100 feet

Yellow Varieties

V6315 Early Harvest. 95 days. NEW! Vigorous, very early F1 Hybrid with large, globe-shaped bulbs and mild, crisp flesh. Easy to grow from seed. Ready to eat as early as sets. (Illus. G)
Pkt. **35c**; ½ oz. **95c**; oz. **1.75**

V6304 Sweet Spanish, Utah Strain. 110 days. Huge, mild onion, globe shaped. Good slicer for onion rings or sandwiches! Pkt. **25c**; ½ oz. **65c**; oz. **1.15**

V6302 Espanola. 110 days. A Peter Henderson specialty. The mildest, sweetest flavored yellow onion! Grows easily from seed. Globe-shaped . . . light yellow skin. Pkt. **15c**; ½ oz. **60c**; oz. **1.00**; ¼ lb. **3.00**

V6299 Yellow Globe Danvers, Breck's Selected. 100 days. The leading market and home garden variety. Rich, coppery yellow jacket — mild sweet flesh — uniform size — solid. Excellent winter keeper. (Illus. L)
Pkt. **15c**; ½ oz. **55c**; oz. **95c**; ¼ lb. **2.85**

White and Red Varieties

V6327 Bermuda Crystal Wax. 90 days. Flat, mild, medium size — crystal white.
Pkt. **25c**; ½ oz. **85c**; oz. **1.50**; ¼ lb. **4.50**

V6359 Red Wethersfield. 100 days. Semi-flat, large — purplish red — solid.
Pkt. **15c**; ½ oz. **60c**; oz. **1.00**; ¼ lb. **3.00**

V6306 Barcelona. 105 days. A selection from Espanola! Pure, silvery white globes . . . mild sweet flavor . . . crisp, tender flesh. Excellent for early green scallions. Pkt. **25c**; ½ oz. **65c**; oz. **1.10**; ¼ lb. **3.25**

BUNCHING ONIONS — Scallions

V6379 Prosperity. 60 days. Smooth, sweet and mild — 5-in. crystal-white stalks — wonderful for salads, with appetizers.
Pkt. **15c**; ½ oz. **60c**; oz. **1.00**; ¼ lb. **3.00**

ONION SETS
Available March and April

Enjoy your own home-grown onions! You can easily raise a bumper crop! Plant closely in the spring, and pull out every other one as sprouts appear, for spring scallions. Let the rest mature for winter use. (Ill. M)

V6301 Yellow Onions. V6303 White Onions.
Postpaid. lb. **79c**; 5 lbs. **3.75**

PARSLEY
Finest cooks always use it — for garnishing and flavoring!
1 oz. of seed will sow at least 150 feet.

V6476 Double Green Crest. Breck's Choice. 70 days. Rich dark-green leaves — densely curled, dwarf compact habit. Produces very generously. Dry and store for winter. (Illus. H)
Pkt. **25c**; ½ oz. **65c**; oz. **1.15**; ¼ lb. **3.50**

V6483 Champion Moss Curled. 70 days.
Pkt. **15c**; oz. **45c**; ¼ lb. **1.25**

V6489 Plain-Leaved, Italian. 85 days.
Pkt. **15c**; oz. **45c**; ¼ lb. **1.25**

PARSNIPS
A vitamin-rich delicacy . . . so sweet and tasty!
1 oz. of seed will sow at least 100 feet.

V6517 All American. 125 days. Best home garden variety! Takes place of Hollow Crown. Long, slender, smooth roots — creamy white — free of side roots. Flesh is fiberless and sweet. (Illus. K)
Pkt. **15c**; ½ oz. **30c**; oz. **50c**; ¼ lb. **1.50**

PEPPERS
1 oz. of seed should produce 2000 plants.

V6421 Avalon Button. 95 days. Easily grown miniature with quantities of button-shaped fruits averaging 2-in. wide and 1-in. deep. Meat is thick, sweet, crisp and juicy. An ideal size for canning or pickling whole . . . fits compactly into containers. Just right for salads! Small seed cavity. Pkt. **35c**; ¼ oz. **1.50**

V6439 Allbig (Illinois F5). 95 days. Hybrid vigor in this new sweet pepper with an enormous crop of huge, high quality peppers! Starts early and continues over a long period. (Illus. J) Pkt. **25c**; ½ oz. **75c**

V6429 California Wonder. 117 days. Fine stuffing pepper. Large, uniform, sweet; firm flesh.
Pkt. **15c**; ½ oz. **60c**

V6425 Early Calwonder. 110 days. An early form of California Wonder — adapted to northern climates.
Pkt. **15c**; ½ oz. **60c**

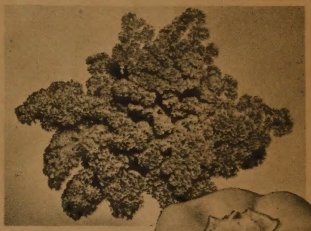
V6463 Long Red Cayenne. 112 days. For Tabasco sauce and relish. Pkt. **15c**; ½ oz. **60c**

V6453 Sweet Banana. 65 days. Long, slender, yellow pepper — looks like a hot pepper but is mild, sweet and tender — perfect for making small pepper rings. Bright red when fully ripe. Pkt. **15c**; ½ oz. **60c**

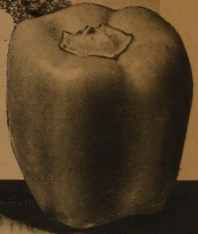
ALL AMERICA WINNERS

Varieties marked with this symbol . . . or the letters AAS immediately following the name . . . are **All America** winners. They are selected by expert judges, after intensive testing in every section of the U.S. Only the very best are given the right to use the All America symbol.

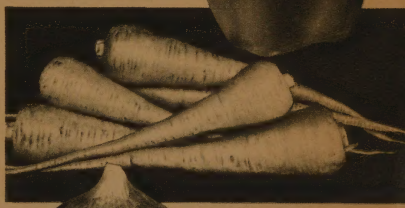
(G) V6315 Onion, Early Harvest



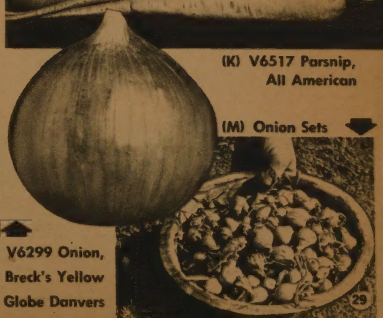
(H) V6476 Parsley, Double Green Crest



(J) V6439 Pepper, Allbig

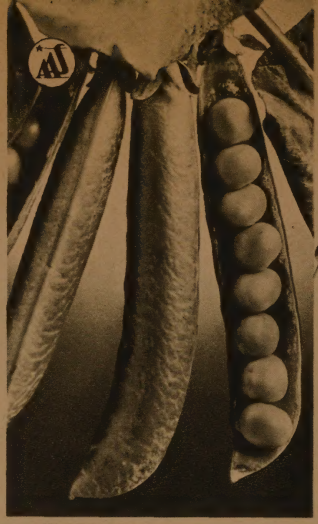


(K) V6517 Parsnip, All American



(M) Onion Sets

(L) V6299 Onion, Breck's Yellow Globe Danvers



(A) V5014 Waltham Washington Asparagus (B) V6548 Freezonian Peas (C) V6594 Wando Peas (D) V6644 Telephone Peas

PEAS . . . sweet and tender!

1 lb. of seed will sow up to 100 feet
½ lb. **45c;** lb. **85c;** 5 lbs. **4.00**
except where noted.

V6557 Frosty. (Color illus. B, p. 31)

V6541 Lincoln. 69 days. Sweetest, tenderest mid-season pea. Full, vigorous 30 to 36-in. vines loaded with 3½-in. pods. Unsurpassed for quality, sweetness and dependability. Each pod holds 8 to 9 plump peas. Excellent freezer.

V6542 Laxton's Progress. 62 days. 18 in. Early dwarf. Extremely prolific; 9 to 10 dark-green peas per pod. Freezes well.

V6548 Freezonian. AAS. 63 days. 3½ ft. Improved and wilt-resistant. 3½-in. pods, well filled with sweet, delicious, tender peas. Ideal for quick freezing. Needs brush support for best results. (Illus. B.)

V6568 Little Marvel. 62 days. 15 in. Old-time favorite renowned for tremendous yields and keeping quality on the bush. Well adapted for quick freezing.

V6578 World's Record. 60 days. 30 in. An enormously popular extra-early pea. Pods are uniformly large, 4½ to 5 in.

V6634 Dwarf Telephone (Daisy). 72 days. 24 in. Large pods, sweet and tender peas.

V6644 Telephone Dark Podded. 75 days. 4 to 5 ft. Peas of large size, sugary, rich and tender. Finest quality. (Illustration D)

V6594 Wando. 70 days. 30 in. An excellent freezing variety that is resistant to late frosts and summer heat. 3-in. pods are tightly packed with sweet, delicious peas. Best variety for **late planting.** Has given good crops when planted as late as mid-July. (Illus. C)
½ lb. **55c;** lb. **1.00;** 5 lbs. **4.75**

V6597 Mammoth Luscious Sugar (Edible-podded). 74 days. Best edible podded variety to date. 3 to 4 ft. — needs brush.

ALL-SEASON PEA GARDEN

Laxton's Progress	Early	
Lincoln	Midseason	
Wando	Late	
V8515 ½ lb. ea. Variety above.	**1.45** VALUE!	**1.00**
V8516 1 lb. ea. Variety above.	**2.70** VALUE!	**1.95**

PUMPKINS

1 oz. of seed will produce 30 hills

V6703 Jack O' Lantern. (Color illus. C, p. 31)

V6700 Small Sugar. 115 days. Famous New England pie pumpkin. Fine grained flesh — small and sweet — deep orange. Pkt. **15c;** oz. **60c;** ¼ lb. **1.75**

V6722 King of the Mammoths. 120 days. Often grows to 100 lbs. Pkt. **15c;** oz. **60c;** ¼ lb. **1.75**

ROQUETTE — Rocket Salad

V6829 40 days. Delicious, peppy-tasting large leaves — gives distinctive zest to salads! Pick from early spring to freezing.
Pkt. **15c;** ½ oz. **60c;** oz. **1.00;** ¼ lb. **3.00**

RADISHES

1 ounce of seed will sow about 50 feet
Pkt. **15c;** oz. **35c;** ¼ lb. **1.00**
except where noted.

V6761 Cherry Belle. AAS. (Color illus. D, p. 31)

V6766 Champion. AAS. 23 days. A king-size edition of the Cherry Belle, as big as a silver dollar in diameter! Mouth-watering rich scarlet; long standing, beautifully formed . . . always crisp, never pithy. (Illus. F) Pkt. **15c;** oz. **50c;** ¼ lb. **1.50**

V6772 French Breakfast. 25 days. Bright scarlet with white tip, olive shape; crisp.

V6794 Long Icicle. 27 days. Earliest long white variety. Snappy flavor; tender. Sleek, crystal white.

V6827 Round Black Spanish. 60 days. Sow in July and August for fall and winter use. Good keeper. White flesh, black skin.

SALSIFY — VEGETABLE OYSTER

1 ounce of seed sows 75 feet.

V6856 Mammoth Sandwich Island. 100 days. 8-in. roots, fine-grained white flesh, oyster flavor. Use fall, winter or spring.
Pkt. **15c;** ½ oz. **60c;** oz. **1.00;** ¼ lb. **3.00**

Grow Mushrooms Like Magic
From BRECK'S
MUSHROOM TRAYS
(Color illus. A, p. 51)

SPINACH

1 ounce of seed will sow 50 feet.

V7041 America . AAS. 50 days. A wonderful improved spinach, noted for heavy yield and long period of cutting. Will stand warm weather. (Illus. E)
Pkt. **15c;** oz. **45c;** ¼ lb. **1.25**

V7052 Hybrid Savoy. 40 days. Greatly improved early Savoy with smoother, larger, deep green leaves. Resistant to mosaic.
Pkt. **25c;** oz. **60c;** ¼ lb. **1.75**

V7061 Bloomsdale Long Standing Savoy. 45 days. Large Savoy-type leaves.
Pkt. **15c;** oz. **30c;** ¼ lb. **90c;** lb. **2.75**

HOT WEATHER SPINACH

V7043 New Zealand. 55 days. Cut-and-come-again vegetable, for summer "greens". Low-spreading, drought-resistant.
Pkt. **15c;** ½ oz. **30c;** oz. **50c;** ¼ lb. **1.50**

ROOT VEGETABLES

RHUBARB ROOTS

Available March to May

V4121 Canada Red. Makes delicious sauce, pies — sweeter, less tart. Rich-red stalks.

V4122 McDonald. Vigorous, prolific! Bright crimson stalks cook into tasty, tart sauce.
(Sh. wt. ½ lb. each) 2 for **2.25;** 5 for **4.95**

ASPARAGUS ROOTS

Available March, April

The finest available . . . bred at Waltham Field Station . . . out-produces others up to 25%. Uniform in size, dark rich green, tightly closed buds. Growing instructions included. (Illus. A)

V5014 Waltham Washington 1-year roots

25 Roots.	(Sh. wt. 5 lbs.)	**1.90**
50 Roots.	(Sh. wt. 8 lbs.)	**3.00**
100 Roots.	(Sh. wt. 15 lbs.)	**4.75**

MUSHROOM BRICKS

V6291 Prepared, compressed bricks of pure culture. Clean, easy to use, available all year. Break into small pieces and plant in a prepared bed. Complete instruction included (Sh. wt. 1 lb. per brick)

10 for 6.75 **75c** Each

(E) V7041 America Spinach

(F) V6766 Champion Radish

(A) EARLY RED TOMATO

V7098 Breck's exclusive! 49 days, instead of the usual 60 or more! Experts agree it has everything — outyields all other early varieties, quality is exceptional, firm, meaty, mild, attractive rich-red throughout.
Pkt. (30 seeds) **50¢**; 1/32 oz. **2.50**

(B) FROSTY PEAS

V6557 65 days. NEW for '63! Early, wilt resistant. Big crop of 3½-in. dark green pods, each with 8 to 9 sweet, tender peas. Good for freezing!
½ lb. **55¢**; lb. **1.00**; 5 lbs. **4.75**

(C) JACK O' LANTERN PUMPKIN

V6703 115 days. Perfect size and shape — 9 in. high, 7 to 8 in. diam. — smooth skin and firm flesh for easy carving. You'll want these for Hallowe'en. Wonderful for pies, too!
Pkt. **25¢**; ½ oz. **50¢**; oz. **85¢**

(D) CHERRY BELLE RADISH

V6761 AAS. 21 days. Highest quality, uniform and attractive. Smooth and round as a cherry . . . bright red with icy-white flesh that's mild, tender and crisp.
Pkt. **15¢**; oz. **50¢**; ¼ lb. **1.50**

(E) HYBRID WINSALL TOMATO

V7251 85 days. Low acid content, tremendous size . . . big crops. This is Winsall in hybrid form. Disease-resistant; easily grown. Bright-red meaty flesh, crack-resistant skin. **A Breck's exclusive!**
Pkt. (30 seeds) **50¢**; 1/32 oz. **2.50**

(F) BUTTERNUT SQUASH
Silver Medal, Mass. Hort. Soc'y

V6954 95 days. Introduced by Breck's, it has become the most popular fall and winter squash. Delicious orange flesh is dry and sweet!
Pkt. **15¢**; ½ oz. **45¢**; oz. **75¢**; ¼ lb. **2.25**

SQUASH — Summer Bush Varieties
1 oz. of seed will plant about 50 hills.

V6900 Yankee Hybrid. AAS. 50 days. NEW! Earliest, most prolific straightneck type. Firm flesh; light yellow skin. (Illus. G) Pkt. **25¢**; ½ oz. **70¢**; oz. **1.25**

V6902 Saticoy Hybrid. 45 days. NEW! Early, vigorous F1 Hybrid with smooth skin and slender, curved neck. Compact growing . . . takes up less space in home gardens. Heavy producer of superb quality Summer Squash. Pkt. **35¢**; ½ oz. **85¢**; oz. **1.50**

V6945 Blackini Hybrid. 50 days. F1 Hybrid of popular Zucchini type. Produces more fruits, 10 days earlier and more uniform. Shiny, very dark green, delicious! Pick when 6 to 8 inches long. (Illus. H)
Pkt. **35¢**; ½ oz. **70¢**; oz. **1.25**

V6911 Greyzini Hybrid. AAS. 55 days. NEW for '63! Greyish-green skin, mottled and splashed dark green, with earlier and longer fruits than Grey Zucchini. Skin and flesh are fine textured and tender. Vigorous, bushy plants produce enormous crops.
Pkt. **35¢**; ½ oz. **70¢**

V6906 Early Golden Summer Crookneck. 60 days.
Pkt. **15¢**; oz. **45¢**; ¼ lb. **1.25**

V6908 Early Prolific Straightneck. AAS. 53 days. Pale yellow; flesh creamy yellow.
Pkt. **15¢**; oz. **45¢**; ¼ lb. **1.25**

V6941 White Bush Scallop. 56 days.
Pkt. **15¢**; oz. **45¢**; ¼ lb. **1.25**

V6949 Zucchini. 60 days. Italian Marrow.
Pkt. **15¢**; oz. **45¢**; ¼ lb. **1.25**

SQUASH — Winter Varieties
1 oz. of seed will plant about 15 hills.

V6951 Breck's Baby Blue. 100 days. Small, family-size Blue Hubbard. Doesn't trail like its famous parent, saves garden space. Same delicious flavor and quality.
Pkt. **25¢**; ½ oz. **60¢**; oz. **1.00**

V6954 Breck's Butternut (Illus. F)

V6960 Buttercup. 100 days. Small (4 to 5 lbs.), of flat form, with dark-green skin.
Pkt. **15¢**; ½ oz. **30¢**; oz. **55¢**

V6968 Hercules. AAS. 82 days. NEW for '63! Sweet and dry, thick textured, rich orange flesh, with very small seed cavity. Similar to the popular Butternut but with thick necked, almost straight-sided, solid blocky fruits. Pkt. **25¢**; ½ oz. **60¢**

V6963 Table Queen (Des Moines). 95 days. Small, dark-green, acorn-shaped squash.
Pkt. **15¢**; oz. **50¢**; ¼ lb. **1.50**

V7004 Blue Hubbard. 115 days.
Pkt. **15¢**; oz. **50¢**; ¼ lb. **1.50**

RUTABAGAS
Pkt. **15¢**; oz. **40¢**; ¼ lb. **1.15**

V7415 Improved American Purple Top. 90 days. Crisp yellow flesh. Mild and sweet.

V7421 Bristol White. 85 days. The sweetest, most delicately-flavored rutabaga! Developed by Waltham Field Station.

SWISS CHARD *1 oz. of seed sows about 75 feet.*

V6872 Rhubarb Chard. 60 days. Thick, dark-green crumpled leaves on bright crimson stalks.
Pkt. **15¢**; oz. **60¢**

V6875 Lucullus. 50 days. Thick, creamy white stalks. Rivals asparagus for flavor.
Pkt. **15¢**; oz. **35¢**; ¼ lb. **1.00**; lb. **3.00**

V6885 Dark Green Curled. 55 days. Husky plants, 2 ft. high. Thick, crumpled, vitamin-packed leaves; broad white mid-rib.
Pkt. **15¢**; oz. **35¢**; ¼ lb. **1.00**; lb. **3.00**

V6886 Perpetual Spinach. 55 days. Smooth medium-sized, dark-green leaves.
Pkt. **15¢**; oz. **35¢**; ¼ lb. **1.00**; lb. **3.00**

TURNIPS *1 ounce of seed will sow 150 feet.*

V7335 Purple Top White Globe. 58 days. Round; white skin, deep purple top.
Pkt. **15¢**; oz. **30¢**; ¼ lb. **90¢**

V7389 Seven-Top. 30 to 35 days. Tops for salads and greens. Pkt. **15¢**; oz. **30¢**; ¼ lb. **90¢**

V7332 Just Right. AAS. 35-55 days. Best all-round summer turnip. Foliage makes delicious "greens"; roots white, tender, sweet, flattened globe shape. (Illus. K) Pkt. **50¢**; ½ oz. **1.25**

FREE TEST SEEDS for early orders (see page 10)

(G) V6900 Yankee Hybrid Squash

(H) V6945 Blackini Hybrid Squash

(K) V7332 Just Right Turnip

(A) V7127
Red Rocket Tomato
(F1 Hybrid)

EXCLUSIVE

Sun-Ripened TOMATOES Taste Better

(B) V7228
Wonder Boy Tomato
(F1 Hybrid)

(C) V7271 Red Cherry Tomato

(D) F8156 Borage

(E) F8250 Rosemary

(F) F8145 Basil

(G) F8191 Dill

(H) F8257 Marjoram

V7127 Red Rocket F1 Hybrid Tomato. A prize winner! 50 days. Large, globe-shaped fruits up to 2¾ in. across, weighing 5 to 6 oz. each. Deep red, very smooth skin . . . no cracking or scars. Thick walled, medium-red flesh with small core, excellent flavor. A profusion of fruit on a vigorous, medium-sized plant. One of the earliest large, heavy-cropping Hybrids. Sold only by Breck's (Illus. A)
Pkt. **50¢**; 1/32 oz. **2.50**; 1/16 oz. **4.25**

V7098 Breck's Early-Red F1 Hybrid. (Color illus. A, p. 31)

V7251 Hybrid Winsall F1. (Color illus. E, p. 31)

V7263 Winsall. 85 days. A Breck's exclusive! **Very low acid content.** This is the favorite of gardeners from coast to coast! One customer writer: "My plants grew 14 ft. tall and had many tomatoes ranging from one to 2 lbs. each." Grown on a trellis and pruned to limit the number of stalks, Winsall produces a tremendous crop in a remarkably small area, making it ideal for small home gardens.
Pkt. **25¢**; ½ oz. **2.00**; 1 oz. **3.50**

V7090 Early Giant F1 Hybrid. 60 days. Exclusive with Breck's! Extra-large tomato that's extra-early, too! Fruits weigh up to 1 lb. or more, are firm and tender.
Pkt. **35¢**; 1/32 oz. **2.00**; 1/16 oz. **3.50**

V7093 Giant King F1 Hybrid. 80 days. Big, solid, bright scarlet fruits with smooth skins. Firm and meaty, with a delicious flavor!
Pkt. **50¢**; 1/32 oz. **2.50**; 1/16 oz. **4.25**

V7228 Wonder Boy F1 Hybrid. 80 days. NEW! Big as the biggest — better than the best! Extra-large round, mid-season Hybrid of wonderful color and flavor! Produces tremendous crop! Many single fruits weigh as much as 1 lb.! (Illus. B)
Pkt. (30 seeds), **50¢**; 1/32 oz. **2.50**

"We had grown your regular Winsall for 30 years and it was always tops with us, but the Hybrid far surpasses it! I got 28 beautiful plants from one packet of seed and harvested bushels of immense, smooth, delicious tomatoes from August till Thanksgiving. I canned and made juice — about 80 qts. — gave fruit to friend who said they were the best they ever ate!"
Mrs. C. P. D., Columbiana, Ohio

V7085 Climbing Trip L Crop. 90 days. Huge fruits weighing 2 lbs. or more . . . on vigorous climbing 10-ft. vines. Even the smallest garden can produce a huge crop, by training on poles or trellis.
Pkt. **35¢**; ½ oz. **85¢**; oz. **1.50**

V7115 Double Rich. 65 days. Highest Vitamin C content . . . more than double standard varieties! Fruits are red, medium size, with unusually firm flesh and high crack-resistance. Ideal for home gardens, as plants don't take too much space.
Pkt. **35¢**; ½ oz. **95¢**; oz. **1.75**

V7118 Italian Red Plum (Pomodoro). 75 days. Beautiful bright red, large, plum-shaped . . . has the mild flavor and firmness desirable in salads, preserves, sauces.
Pkt. **25¢**; ½ oz. **85¢**; oz. **1.50**

V7202 Rutgers (Certified Seed). 78 days.
Pkt. **15¢**; ½ oz. **55¢**; oz. **95¢**

V7249 Sunray. 72 days. Rich, distinctive flavor . . . mild and sweet . . . loved for non-acid content and orange-yellow color.
Pkt. **25¢**; ½ oz. **65¢**; oz. **1.25**

V7259 Richmeat. 85 days. Famous for its practically coreless, rich scarlet flesh of fine flavor. Vigorous grower, producing large, oval fruits. Pkt. **25¢**

V7213 Golden Ponderosa. 85 days. Same large fruits and good qualities as famous Red Ponderosa. Slightly less acid.
Pkt. **25¢**; ½ oz. **1.25**; oz. **2.25**

V7086 Bonny Best. 70 days.
Pkt. **15¢**; ½ oz. **45¢**; oz. **75¢**

V7186 Marglobe (Certified Seed). 75 days.
Pkt. **15¢**; ½ oz. **55¢**; oz. **95¢**

V7236 Beefsteak (Red Ponderosa). 59 days.
Pkt. **15¢**; ½ oz. **70¢**; oz. **1.25**

V7082 Waltham Scarlet. 70 days. This vigorous growing tomato has scored high with thousands of home gardeners! From each plant, you'll get quantities of rich, red, salad-size tomatoes of "hot-house" quality!
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V7112 The Fruit. 75 days. Solid, meaty Henderson favorite — practically free from acidity and seeds — delicious eating! Vigorous, disease-resistant plants bear large clusters of sweet, luscious, well-formed, deep pink tomatoes.
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TOMATO PLANT SUPPORTS

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R2666L Supports. Set of 6, (7 lbs.) **4.89**; 2 sets, **8.75**

(I) F8318 Sage

(J) F8123 Anise

(K) F8329 Savory

(L) F8147 Dark Opal Basil, AAS

(M) F8367 Thyme

(N) F5948 Fennel

BRECK'S PLANTING GUIDE

VEGETABLE		SOW INDOORS	SOW OUTDOORS FROM	SOW OUTDOORS TO	COVERAGE 1 OZ. SEED	COVERAGE 1 LB. SEED	PLANTING MEASUREMENTS DISTANCE BETWEEN ROWS	DISTANCE BETWEEN PLANTS	DEPTH TO PLANT SEED
Beans	Bush	.....	May 1	August 1	.....	50 ft.	2½ ft.	4 in.	½ in.
	Dwarf Shell	.....	May 1	June 20	.....	50 ft.	2½ ft.	4 in.	½ in.
	Bush Lima	.....	May 15	June 20	.....	50 ft.	2½ ft.	4 in.	½ in.
	Pole Lima	.....	May 15	June 10	.....	75 hills	4 ft.	2 ft.	1 in.
	Pole	.....	May 1	July 5	.....	200 hills	4 ft.	2 ft.	½ in.
Beet		.....	April 20	July 25	50 ft.	.....	1½ ft.	2 in.	½ in.
Broccoli		March 15	April 20	June 1	2000 plants	.....	2½ ft.	1½ ft.	¼ in.
Brussels Sprouts		March 15	April 20	May 20	2000 plants	.....	2½ ft.	1½ ft.	¼ in.
Cabbage	Early	March 15	April 20	July 10	2000 plants	.....	2½ ft.	1½ ft.	¼ in.
	Late	.....	May 1	June 1	2000 plants	.....	2½ ft.	2 ft.	½ in.
	Chinese	April 1	July 1	July 20	5000 plants	.....	2½ ft.	1 ft.	¼ in.
Carrot		.....	April 20	August 1	100 ft.	.....	1½ ft.	2 in.	¼ in.
Cauliflower		March 15	May 1	June 15	2000 plants	.....	2½ ft.	1½ ft.	¼ in.
Celery		March 1	April 20	May 20	3000 plants	.....	2½ ft.	8 in.	1/16 in.
Chervil		.....	April 20	August 1	100 ft.	.....	1½ ft.	2 in.	¼ in.
Chicory		.....	May 15	July 1	100 ft.	.....	2 ft.	6 in.	¼ in.
Chives		.....	April 20	July 1	200 ft.	.....	1½ ft.	12 in.	¼ in.
Collards		.....	April 1	June 15	400 ft.	.....	2 ft.	15 in.	¼ in.
Corn	Early	.....	May 1	July 1	.....	200 ft.	3 ft.	12 in.	1 in.
	Late	.....	May 1	June 15	.....	200 ft.	3 ft.	12 in.	1 in.
Corn Salad		.....	April 20	August 15	150 ft.	.....	1 ft.	3 in.	½ in.
Cress		.....	April 20	August 15	100 ft.	.....	1 ft.	1 in.	¼ in.
Cucumber		.....	June 1	July 1	60 hills	.....	4 ft.	4 ft.	½ in.
Dandelion		.....	May 1	June 30	200 ft.	.....	1½ ft.	6 in.	¼ in.
Eggplant		March 25	.....	.....	1000 plants	.....	3 ft.	3 ft.	⅛ in.
Endive		.....	April 20	August 1	3000 plants	.....	1½ ft.	12 in.	¼ in.
Florence Fennel		.....	June 1	July 1	100 ft.	.....	2 ft.	6 in.	¼ in.
Kale		.....	May 15	July 1	2000 plants	.....	2 ft.	1½ ft.	¼ in.
Kohlrabi		.....	April 20	August 1	150 ft.	.....	2 ft.	4 in.	½ in.
Leeks		March 1	April 1	June 1	100 ft.	.....	1½ ft.	4 in.	¼ in.
Lettuce		March 15	April 1	August 15	3000 plants	.....	2 ft.	12 in.	¼ in.
Melon		.....	June 1	July 1	100 hills	.....	4 ft.	4 ft.	½ in.
Mustard		.....	April 20	August 15	100 ft.	.....	1½ ft.	6 in.	¼ in.
Okra		.....	May 15	June 25	250 plants	.....	2½ ft.	15 in.	½ in.
Onion		March 1	April 1	May 15	100 ft.	.....	1 ft.	2 in.	½ in.
Parsley		.....	April 20	June 25	150 ft.	.....	1½ ft.	2 in.	¼ in.
Parsnip		.....	April 20	June 15	100 ft.	.....	1½ ft.	3 in.	½ in.
Peas		.....	April 1	June 1	.....	100 ft.	3 ft.	1 in.	1 in.
Pepper		April 1	May 15	June 1	2000 plants	.....	3 ft.	1½ ft.	¼ in.
Pumpkin		.....	May 15	July 15	30 hills	.....	5 ft.	5 ft.	1 in.
Radish		.....	April 20	Sept. 15	50 ft.	.....	1 ft.	1 in.	½ in.
Salsify		.....	April 20	May 20	75 ft.	.....	1½ ft.	2 in.	½ in.
Spinach		.....	April 1	August 15	50 ft.	.....	1½ ft.	2 in.	½ in.
Spinach, New Zealand		.....	May 1	July 1	250 plants	.....	2 ft.	2 ft.	½ in.
Squash	Summer	.....	May 1	July 1	50 hills	.....	4 ft.	4 ft.	½ in.
	Winter	.....	May 1	June 1	15 hills	.....	7 ft.	7 ft.	½ in.
Swiss Chard		.....	April 20	July 25	75 ft.	.....	1½ ft.	6 in.	½ in.
Tomato		April 1	May 1	June 1	1500 plants	.....	4 ft.	3 ft.	¼ in.
Turnip	Early	.....	April 1	August 20	150 ft.	.....	1½ ft.	3 in.	¼ in.
	Rutabaga	.....	April 1	June 15	150 ft.	.....	2 ft.	6 in.	½ in.
Watermelon		.....	June 1	June 15	30 hills	.....	8 ft.	8 ft.	1 in.

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V7264 Yellow Plum **S7266** Red Plum
V7253 Red Pear **S7271** Red Cherry (Illus. C)
S7285 Yellow Cherry

V7297 Strawberry Tomato, or Winter Cherry (also called Ground Cherry). Fruit grows in a husk. Used for preserves and sauces.

TINY TIM TOMATO

V7173 45 days. Tiny red, 1-in. tomatoes — delicious when served whole! Can actually be grown in a flower pot or window box. 6 to 9 in. Pkt. **25¢**

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F8123 ANISE. (A) Fresh leaves and seeds popular for many different foods. (Illus. J)

F8145 SWEET BASIL. (A) Beautiful plant with white flowers. Clove-like aroma and flavor of both fresh and dried leaves add a delectable flavor to many foods. (Illus. F)

F8156 BORAGE. (A) Young leaves and buds flavor tea and iced drinks. (Illus. D)

F8167 CARAWAY. (B) Popular flavoring seed for bread, cakes and cheese.

F8170 CATNIP. (P) Leaves used for herb tea; beloved by "pussy".

F5461 CHIVES. (P) 8 to 10 in. Beautiful, hardy perennial for a decorative border or edging. Flowers are tiny lavender pompons. Use leaves as seasoning.

F8189 CORIANDER. (A) Delicious seeds used in breads, cakes and candy.

F5681 CURLED CHERVIL. (A) Lacy, fern-like foliage, both fresh and dried, used as flavoring and decoration.

F5711 CURLED CRESS. (A-Peppergrass) This peppery little 3 to 6 in. plant adds piquancy to salads and sandwiches.

F5713 UPLAND CRESS. (B) Watercress flavoring. Sow in mid-April for summer.

F8191 DILL, Mammoth. (A) 3 ft. Use both fresh leaves and tips. Seed delicious with vegetables, soups, gravies. (Illus. G)

F5948 FLORENCE FENNEL. (A) Served either raw or cooked. Anise flavor. (Illus. N)

F8250 ROSEMARY. Hardy perennial; 2-3 ft. Pale to deep-blue blossoms in April and May. Use fresh or dried leaves. (Illus. E)

F8318 SAGE. (P) A shrubby, grey-leaved perennial. Plants 2-ft. tall with light purple blossom spikes. Use both dried and fresh whole leaves. (Illus. I)

F8257 SWEET MARJORAM, (A) 12 to 15 in. Tiny white blossoms with green bracts are very fragrant. Use young leaves, either dried or fresh. (Illus. H)

F8147 SWEET BASIL, DARK OPAL. (A) AAS. NEW! 15 in. Ornamental, as well as useful! A beautiful addition to either the flower, herb or vegetable garden. Dark purple leaves with white flowers. Use dried leaves. (Illus. L) Pkt. **50¢**

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F8367 THYME. (P) Lovely garden plant with lavender blooms. Tender young leaves. Use either dried or fresh. (Illus. M)

LAVENDER — See Sweet Lavender, p. 17.
PARSLEY — See page 29.

All Herbs Except Dark Opal
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(B) 1033 Ruffled Yellow

(C) 1038 Santa Catalina

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1060 Red Fire
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1062 Yellow Sparkles
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1030 Coral Salmon. Radiant color.
1031 Dawn Rose. Deep glowing pink.
1032 Royal Scarlet. Rich, vibrant red.
1033 Sunshine Yellow. Gay and sunny.
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3 for **1.50**; 10 for **4.60**

SWEETHEART COLLECTION

Save money with this colorful collection! All top-size bulbs, 3 each of the 4 colors listed above, each bag labeled with name of variety.

Order Group No. 1010 — **12 bulbs, 4.95** — **6.00 VALUE! Save 1.05**

Here is what one of our customers wrote: "As a 25-year gardener, I don't mind garden catalogs that exaggerate, but I want to tell you that the begonias you sent me last year were not 5 inches across, as you said, but 7 to 9 inches — mistaken for orchids, camellias, roses, and — the glory of our garden!
Mrs. C. P., Silver Springs, Md.

1043 Picotee. (Color illus. C) The peak of perfection in hybrid Begonias! All the elegance of form and texture of the Camellia-flowered types, and each petal is beautifully bordered with richly contrasting, yet harmonious colors! Crisp, light pastel backgrounds are highlighted with salmon, rose, flame and coral.
75¢ ea.; 3 for **2.00**; 10 for **6.30**

1052 Daffodil Flowered. (Color illus. F) Experts consider this the most unusual flower form of all the Tuberous Begonias! A graceful 3-in. trumpet, backed by 2 huge petals resembling the perianth of a Daffodil, give this unique flower its name. Soft pastel shade — snowy white to almost red.
75¢ ea.; 3 for **2.00**; 10 for **6.30**

SIMULATED REDWOOD PORTA-TUBS

Easy to handle . . . easy to move, these good-looking plastic tubs have a wood-grain finish, colored to look like real redwood. 16-in. size will hold 3 Begonia plants for a lovely addition to porch or patio. Waterproof and stain-proof. (Ed. Note—the 16 in. size makes a deluxe waste basket!)

R2918 16x12". (2½ lbs.) **4.98**
R2917 12x8". (1¼ lbs.) **3.39**

FLOWER POT HOLDER-RINGS

Hang flower pots on any ½-in. vertical rod with these aluminum rings. No nails needed unless wall bracket is used. Attractive on stair rails, trellises, etc.

R2862 4" Ring. (¼ lb.) **89¢**
R2863 5" Ring. (¼ lb.) **1.19**
R2864 6" Ring. (½ lb.) **1.29**
R2865 Wall Bracket. (¼ lb.) **69¢**

Breck's Favorite

DELUXE BEGONIA COLLECTION

These Seven Varieties Illustrated in Color Above And On Page 34

A colorful, money-saving group! One each of **7** exquisite, shade-loving Begonias, separately labeled — unique **Daffodil**, two-tone **Picotee, Cascade Hanging Basket Coral Showers**, plus **rose, red, yellow** and **white Sweetheart type!** Order early . . . we may have to substitute other varieties on late orders.

Order Group No. 1022 — **All 7 bulbs, 3.50** — **Save 75¢**

(A) 1059
Frilled Sunset Begonia

(B) 1040
Santa Margarita
Begonia

(C) 1053
Fireflame Begonia

Mer-Made
Fish
Emulsion

Gorgeous New

PACIFIC HYBRID BEGONIAS

These are no ordinary Begonias! The huge, gorgeous, colorful blooms will thrill you with their exquisite, ruffled petals . . . their shining fluorescent colors! Pacific Hybrids are the result of a lifetime of hybridizing by the world's leading authority on tuberous Begonias — Mr. Worth Brown. They have all the vigor of hybrids . . . plus big, up to 6 in. blooms that will make you the envy of the neighborhood! Colors are so clear and lustrous that they shine with a brilliance that lights up your garden!

Plants Covered With Blooms!

Pacific Hybrids don't give just a few flowers . . . the strong, bushy plants are just covered with glorious bloom, day after day, week after week, right up to frost! Use the blooms as table decorations, too! Float them in a wide, shallow bowl and enjoy their beauty for days. In the garden, they'll brighten an otherwise dull, shady corner.

Custom-Grown, Top-Quality Bulbs!

Each and every bulb is hand selected for top quality. Bulb size varies by variety . . .some are larger than others . . . but quality and flower-size are always tops. There are no finer Begonias grown! Please order early — quantities of these custom grown beauties are always limited!

1036 Santa Ana. Huge glowing orange.
1037 Santa Barbara. Entrancing soft yellow.
1038 Santa Catalina. Fluorescent scarlet. (See color illus. C., p. 34)
1039 Santa Clara. Clean, clear apricot.
1040 Santa Margarita. Large, luscious pink. (See illustration B)
1041 Santa Maria. Pure sparkling white.
1042 Santa Monica. Beautiful light salmon.

3 for **2.90**
10 for **8.70**
25 for **19.75**

1.00 Each

Super Value!

PACIFIC HYBRID BEGONIA GARDEN

Don't miss this fantastically lovely Hybrid Begonia Garden of Breck's-approved beauties! Imagine! You get all seven of the oustanding Pacific Hybrids mentioned at left . . . the largest, most beautiful Begonias in the world . . . and **save money, too!** These are truly gorgeous flowers! You'll gasp at their breathtakingly lovely clear, true colors! The Begonia Garden includes 7 bulbs, one each of the 7 "Santas" listed at left!

Order Group No. 1011
7.00 VALUE! You save **1.50!** **5.50**

ODORLESS FISH EMULSION
MER-MADE PLANT FOOD

- **For Bigger Flowers!**
- **For Brighter Colors!**

Fish has been an important plant food since prehistoric times. Recent scientific research has produced an **odorless** fish emulsion and combined it with Teac 90, a new chelating agent, to make available minerals already present in soil. 100% organic nitrogen can't burn tenderest plants . . . effects continue for weeks. Amazing results in both growth and color must be seen to be believed. Use on any plants, indoors or out. Produces spectacular effects on Begonias, Caladiums, African Violets, Coleus, etc.

R3437 Fish Emulsion, 8-oz. (¾ lb.) **79c**
R3438 Fish Emulsion, 1-Qt. (2½ lbs.) **1.50**
R3439 Fish Emulsion, 1-Gal. (10 lbs.) **4.95**

FREE SEEDS! *If you order before April 30!* *(See page 10 for details)*

For Discerning Gardeners

CONNOISSEUR'S COLLECTION

Our popular Blue-Ribbon collection — originally offered by Breck's at the request of experienced gardeners, and now much sought-after by all! You get two each of these superior new varieties . . . **Daffodil, Picotee and Sunset,** plus one sensational new **Santa Catalina.** Each variety separately bagged and labeled. 7 bulbs in all.

Order Group No. 1023
6.00 VALUE! Save **1.25!** **4.75**

FRILLED SUNSET BEGONIA

All the lovely, soft colors of an autumn sunset . . . right where you can enjoy it every day! Big, colorful single flowers, yellow copper in the center — edged with the most beautiful, tightly-frilled and ruffled, contrasting rosy-red edge! You'll be amazed at the lovely effects that this Begonia will create, right in your own garden, all through the summer and into the cool days of autumn. A must for those who like to be different! (Illustration A above)

1059 Sunset. **1.00** ea.; 3 for **2.90;** 10 for **8.70**

CALIFORNIA-STYLED REDWOOD HANGING GARDEN BASKET

Lovely as a western sunset, this attractive basket displays hanging plants to their best advantage! It's cleverly designed of ½" wide wooden slats, joined with rustproof copper wire. Weather-resistant redwood oil finish and gleaming brass chains blend beautifully with any setting, indoors or out! 7½" deep. 13" long . . . holds two 6-in. pots or 10x6-in. planter. Folds flat for easy storing out-of-season. (See illus. A, p. 37)

R2522 Hanging Redwood Basket. (2 lbs.) **2.75**

(A) Redwood Hanging Basket

(B) Begonia Starter Set

HOW TO GROW BEGONIAS

For early blooms, start indoors in soil or dampened peat moss in February or March. Begonias may be grown in boxes or flats, but the Fiber Pots or the Begonia Starter Sets are ideal. Just set tubers into soil or peat moss, hollow side up, and covered not over ½ inch. Water sparingly until they sprout, increasing the amount as leaves appear. Choose a window or porch with good light, temperature from 60 to 70 degrees. After a few weeks, plants will have extensive root systems and may be transplanted into 8-in. pots (See page 7). Set outdoors after all danger of frost is past. Choose a shady spot that is sheltered from strong winds.

BEDDING-SIZE BEGONIAS

1035 Giant, ruffled Camellia-flowered Begonias — a special economy size that lets you use even more for mass effect! Plump, American-grown bulbs in a hand-picked mixture that produces Giant, colorful flowers! Unbelievably low priced!

5 for **1.00**; 10 for **1.85**
25 for **4.25**; 100 for **15.50**

COMPLETE BEGONIA GARDEN

1012 A pageant of glorious color from June to frost! Giant Camellia-Flowered Begonias produce huge, spectacular blooms on 18-in. plants. Border them with the dainty Baby Begonias.

You get:
10 Bedding Size Begonias
10 Baby Begonias

5.20 VALUE! **20 Bulbs** **4.50**

"BRECK'S COMPLETE GUIDE TO TUBEROUS BEGONIAS"

by Worth Brown

Written for amateur and specialist alike by the world's leading commercial grower of Tuberous Begonias! 128 pages, featuring the "how to" of planting and development, plus a clear explanation of classification!
R1901 Tuberous Begonias Book. (¾ lb.) **3.50**

BRECK'S BABY BEGONIAS

Bushy, 10-in. plants sparkle with hundreds of dainty, 1-inch flowers all summer! Even the foliage is colorful! They like sun as well as shade.
1053 Fireflame. Sparkling scarlet flowers with lovely contrasting golden center.
1054 Moongleam. Clear yellow — like moonbeams dancing across sparkling waters!
1055 Afterglow. Luminous orange-salmon and apricot shadings . . . centers of gleaming gold.

3 for **1.20**; 10 for **3.65**; 25 for **8.25**

1056 Hand-Selected Mixture — a perfect balance of colors. 10 for **3.35**; 25 for **7.65**

FLOWER FLOATERS

Handy floating rings that are just right for floating Begonia blossoms in any bowl — ingenious, dramatic way to display your most exquisite blossoms! Stemless flowers float prettily atop these tiny cork rafts, retain their freshness for days! Four green cork disks (two 2½" and two 1¼" diam.) won't tip or sink. (See also p. 62).
R2861 Set of 4 Floaters. (¼ lb.) **59c**

(B) BRECK'S BEGONIA STARTER SETS

You Get 3 Begonia Tubers — Fiber Planter Plus Peat Moss!

Such convenience — and what a timesaver for starting Begonias early indoors! You get 3 Begonia tubers in a color you select . . . already **pre-planted** in peat moss . . . in a handy fiber planter! Less growth setback when transferred to your garden . . . and our kits make color grouping a cinch! Planter is 8¼x6¾x 2⅝ in., takes little space on your windowsill or porch shelf. (Illustrated)

1015 Dawn Rose.
1016 Royal Scarlet.
1017 Sunshine Yellow.
1018 Mixed Colors

Set of 3 Tubers **1.50** **Complete Postpaid**

3 sets (9 Tubers), **3.95**

TUBEROUS BEGONIAS FROM SEED

F0822 Ruffled Double, Mixed Colors. If you enjoy being "different", you can grow your own Tuberous Begonias from seed. They'll flower this summer, of course, and you'll have nice bulbs for future years. Many Begonia "fans" claim that seed-grown plants produce even **larger** flowers and a very lovely range of colors. Pkt. **1.50**

GIVE BEGONIAS

A HEAD START IN BRECK'S

FIBER POTS

12 for 75c

25 for 1.50

- **Produce Much Earlier Blooms!**
- **Treated with Nourishing Fertilizer!**
- **Prevent Root Setback!**
- **Use Indoors in Feb., March!**

It's so easy to have brilliant Tuberous Begonias in bloom from early summer ! Simply start them indoors in February or March in Breck's Fiber Pots! 5-in. pots are especially treated with fertilizer that nourishes plants until they go into the garden. So easy to set out when spring arrives — no setback from root disturbance. Remember! Each bulb requires its own pot, so be sure to order enough for all your bulbs!
R2735 Fiber Pots, 5-inch diameter.
12 (1½ lbs.), **75c**; 25 (2½ lbs.), **1.50**

(A) 1275 Congo

(B) 1375 Rose Spire

(C) 1386 Yellow Spire

(D) 1274 Blue Lou

(E) 1279 Fashion Flame

GLADIOLUS COLORAMA

ARRANGED BY COLOR FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE

EXHIBITOR'S COLLECTION
All 5 illustrated above

New and different! The best new, prize-winners — outstanding for gardens and shows! 3 bulbs of each variety, 15 bulbs in all. Detailed descriptions on pp. 38 and 39.

Order Group No. 1141
3.37 VALUE! 15 bulbs, **2.65**
2 collections (30 bulbs) **4.95**

EXHIBITOR'S & CHAMPION COMBINATION

The cream of the crop! Two outstanding collections of magnificent, colorful Glads — all top-size bulbs — **saves you real money!** 40 bulbs in all.

Order Group No. 1147
7.22 VALUE! 40 bulbs, **4.75**
2 combinations (80 bulbs) **9.00**

WHITE

1257 Ballerina. NEW! Big, gorgeous 5-in. flowers — up to 8 open at once! Pure snow-white with distinctive rosy-red throat markings. Long stems carry 18-20 buds. Long-lasting cut flower.
10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

1185 Glacier. An exclusive Breck's introduction that will thrill you with its cool beauty and perfect form! Heavily ruffled, pure white with a hint of cream in the throat, opens 8 to 10 perfectly placed flowers on tall, straight spikes.
3 for **65¢**; 10 for **2.00**; 25 for **4.50**

1376 Snow Velvet. NEW for '63! (Color illus. B, p. 39) Beautifully ruffled exhibition white. Opens 9-10 big, 5¼-in. blooms on strong 22-bud spike.
10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

1224 White Friendship. A new, glistening pure white Glad with a light creamy throat. 6 to 8 large, ruffled florets open at one time.
10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

1215 White Sails. Gorgeously ruffled, white as a cloud with slight fuchsia-pink feathering at throat. A tremendous flower head — up to 24 buds, with up to 12 open at once!
10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

ROSE

1254 Ben Hur. AAS. NEW! This offspring of champions has big, beautifully ruffled rose pink flowers on uniform, straight 5-ft. stems. Opens up to 10 flowers, well placed on 22-bud spikes. Extremely vigorous from bulb to flower.
35¢ ea.; 3 for **1.00**; 10 for **2.90**

1277 Director. NEW for '63! Unique color! Deep, raspberry-rose with gorgeous ruffling and heavy texture. Very tall 20-bud stem regularly opens 10-12 flowers.
3 for **65¢**; 10 for **2.00**; 25 for **4.50**

1375 Rose Spire. NEW for '63! (Color illus. B above) Brilliant, clear rose, 5¼-in. flowers open as many as 7 to 9 at once on tall, perfect spikes.
10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

YELLOW

1276 D'Artagnan. NEW for '63! (Illus. D., p. 40) Clear cream with brilliant red markings on lower petals. A distinctive Glad that opens 7-9 flowers on a formal 20-bud spike.
10 for **1.50**; 25 for **3.35**

1264 Fort Knox. Lightly ruffled, deep yellow flowers — up to 8 open on tall, strong 22-bud stems.
10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

1280 Golden Sunshine. NEW for '63! (Color illus. D, p. 39) Big, heavy-textured, deep golden-yellow flowers are over 5 in. across! Tall 22-bud spikes open 9-10 at once. Good bloomer.
10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

1272 Morning Sun. AAS. NEW for '63! Large, bright sunshine-yellow, suede-textured ruffled blooms on majestic 22-bud spikes. A sight to behold with 8 to 10 wide-open flowers! The first pure yellow All America Glad.
35¢ ea.; 3 for **1.00**; 10 for **2.90**

1206 Sparkler. AAS. Graceful, gay and unusual . . . the result of a skillful color blending! Clear yellow, shading deeper as it surrounds bright red lips. Florets are ruffled, with fluted petal tips. Open 8 or more magnificent florets at a time on an 18-bud spike.
35¢ ea.; 3 for **1.00**; 10 for **2.90**

1386 Yellow Spire. NEW for '63! (Color illus. C above) Almost a dozen clear yellow flowers will open at once on this straight 4½-ft., 22-bud spike. Strong, healthy grower. Good exhibition variety.
3 for **65¢**; 10 for **2.00**; 25 for **4.50**

CREAM

1261 Party Ruffles. NEW! Very heavily ruffled, creamy-white with a blush of pink. A gorgeous combination on tall, strong, 20-bud spikes! Open 7 to 9 5¼-in. flowers at once. We have never seen anything like this!
10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

1190 Landmark. AAS. A real eye-stopper! Huge, tall cream with soft luminous texture! Formally placed, lovely ruffled flowers with 10-14 of the 22 buds open at once! Extremely symmetrical spikes. A Glad of unusual stamina!
35¢ ea.; 3 for **1.00**; 10 for **2.90**

SALMON

1209 Starfire. Spectacular salmon with a rich cream throat splashed with bright red. 6-9 large flowers open at once on husky 4-ft. stems.
10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

1377 Summer Queen. NEW for '63! (Color illus. E, p. 39) Beautifully ruffled, warm salmon-pink blooms. Opens 8 to 9 at once on healthy 20-bud stem. Good cut flower.
10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

PINK

1170 Appleblossom. AAS. A charming snow-white rimmed in pale pink with creamy throat. 5-in. flowers . . . 8-9 open at once on graceful 5-ft. spikes.
35¢ ea.; 3 for **1.00**; 10 for **2.90**

1259 Blushing Bride. NEW! (Illus. B, p. 40) A Breck's exclusive! Tall, stately 5-ft. spikes opening 8-10 big, slightly ruffled flowers of clear, soft pink with a touch of cream at the throat. Size, flower placement and color combine to make this variety unique!
35¢ ea.; 3 for **1.00**; 10 for **2.90**

1183 Friendship. Pinkest of the Glads . . . with frosty freshness and beauty of form. Very early blooming . . . lacy ruffling.
10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

1208 Spic and Span. Large, true-pink ruffled flowers. This has won more blue ribbons than any other Glad! Tall spike; remarkable cut flower.
10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

ORANGE

1200 Regina. Rich amber-orange with delicate red throat-markings. Best in its color! 7 to 8 huge 6-in. florets open at once on 4-ft. spikes. Daintily ruffled.
10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

1256 Thunderbird. AAS. NEW! As outstanding as the famous T-Bird! Opens up to 10 big, fiery, deep persimmon-orange flowers, beautifully placed on tall 20-bud stems. Exquisite ruffling and heavy substance complete the picture of a true All-America champion.
35¢ ea.; 3 for **1.00**; 10 for **2.90**

(A) 1374 Oscar

(B) 1376 Snow Velvet

(C) 1267 Lavender Gem

(D) 1280 Golden Sunshine

(E) 1377 Summer Queen

RED

1279 Fashion Flame. NEW for '63! (Color illus. E, p. 38) Clear, brilliant red, seedling of Royal Stewart. Lightly ruffled flowers are beautifully placed on long, straight 20-bud spikes. Regularly opens 9 blooms, each over 5 in.
35¢ ea.; 3 for **1.00**; 10 for **2.90**

1387 Flaming Torch. NEW for '63! (Illus. A, p. 40) Imagine 8 huge, ruffled, bright scarlet blooms, with almost twice as many buds to come, perfectly placed on a giant spike! You'll see why Flaming Torch earned its name. Breck's is proud to introduce this gorgeous Glad. You, too, will like it!
50¢ ea.; 3 for **1.25**; 10 for **3.75**

1187 Gypsy Dancer. AAS. NEW! Gracefully ruffled petals of vivid scarlet-orange with a sunburst of yellow on the lower petals. A fresh, vibrant color. Straight, strong stems; ideal for bouquets.
35¢ ea.; 3 for **1.00**; 10 for **2.90**

1188 Harrisburger. Outstanding cherry-red variety. Sturdy plant produces many 5½-in. ruffled flowers on tall spikes.
10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

1374 Oscar. NEW for '63! (Color illus. A above) Huge, rich velvety-red, 5¾-in. flowers, with 8 to 10 open at once, make this an outstanding Glad. Tall, almost 5-ft. spikes carry 20-22 buds.
10 for **1.50**; 25 for **3.35**

1202 Royal Stewart. AAS. Brightest of the red Glads — gay as the Stewart tartan! A clear, brilliant scarlet. Up to 12 blooms open at one time on 5-ft. spikes. Lightly ruffled 5-in. florets.
35¢ ea.; 3 for **1.00**; 10 for **2.90**

1273 Victory. AAS. NEW for '63! Glowing scarlet, round, lightly ruffled, saucer-like flowers adorn this tall, 5½-ft. spike. 8 to 10 of its 20 buds are open at one time. An outstanding variety, well worthy of its AAS award!
35¢ ea.; 3 for **1.00**; 10 for **2.90**

LIGHT GREEN

1278 Erin. NEW for '63! Pale green with a pink throat feather. Lightly frilled 5-in. flowers . . . open 8 on 18-bud spike.
3 for **65¢**; 10 for **2.00**; 25 for **4.50**

1186 Green Ice. Sensational new shade! Clear greenish-cream, shading darker towards an icy green center. Up to 5 ft.
3 for **65¢**; 10 for **2.00**; 25 for **4.50**

1372 Greenland. NEW for '63! Deep cream with a greenish glow. Tall 4½-ft. 20-bud spikes carry 5-in. flowers. Good for cutting.
10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

1260 Green Woodpecker. NEW! (Illus. on front cover) A new green — greener than any before! Dainty, ruffled 5½-in. flowers.
10 for **1.75**; 25 for **3.95**; 50 for **6.95**

BLACK RED

1169 Ace of Spades. Truly remarkable! The blackest of the black-red varieties! Blooms are large, triangular shaped, with a glistening sheen. 5 to 6 florets open at once on the long, sturdy spikes.
10 for **1.50**; 25 for **3.35**

1275 Congo. NEW for '63! (Color illus. A, p. 38) Giant, heavy textured, black-maroon 5½-in. flowers. Strong 22-bud stem opens 8 at once. One of the best!
3 for **65¢**; 10 for **2.00**; 25 for **4.50**

BLUE AND PURPLE

1274 Blue Lou. NEW for '63! (Illus. D, p. 38) Tall clear blue with small reddish throat. Opens 8 flowers on good 18-bud spike.
3 for **65¢**; 10 for **2.00**; 25 for **4.50**

1173 Caribbean. AAS. All America! Blue-violet petals, a deep violet throat with a small cream spear . . . a distinctive new combination! Opens 9 to 11 flowers. The first truly ruffled blue Glad!
35¢ ea.; 3 for **1.00**; 10 for **2.90**

1176 China Blue. AAS. NEW! All America! Largest "blue" to date, with full 20-bud spikes. Beautiful, blue-violet color — with violet markings — looks like a piece of rare china. Very strong and sturdy. Opens 6 to 8 blooms at once.
35¢ ea.; 3 for **1.00**; 10 for **2.90**

1373 King David. NEW for '63! Big, deep velvety-purple, ruffled flowers with silver edging. Opens 10 on 20-bud, 4½-ft. spike. Leading exhibition variety.
10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

1192 Majolica. NEW! Gorgeous light porcelain blue with deep violet throat markings. A fine grower with big 5¼-in. florets. 6-8 open at once on 4½-ft. spikes!
3 for **65¢**; 10 for **2.00**; 25 for **4.50**

1262 Pinnacle. NEW! Spectacular! Close to 6-ft. tall, its 21-bud stem has up to 11 huge, 6½-in. flowers open at once! Soft sky-blue with a big, bright blue-purple throat. A real eye-catcher!
10 for **1.50**; 25 for **3.35**

1205 Salman's Sensation. Largest flowered of the "blues"! Clear dark-blue flowers on long stems.
10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

SPECIAL — FOUR GREEN GLADS
5 bulbs each, 20 in all, of the following:
Erin **Green Woodpecker**
Greenland **Green Ice**
Order Group No. 1237 **3.60** VALUE! **20 bulbs,** **2.95**
2 collections (40 bulbs), only **5.50**

CHAMPION COLLECTION
All 5 illustrated above
Five of the world's finest Glads — every one a champion! 5 each of 5 varieties — 25 bulbs in all.
Order Group No. 1144
3.85 VALUE! **25 bulbs,** **2.95**
2 collections (50 bulbs), only **5.50**

LAVENDER

1255 Horizon. AAS. NEW! Have you ever watched the dawn of a midsummer day? Horizon, with its towering spikes of dawn-fresh, dew-kissed, rosy lavender flowers has captured this magic moment! 10 of its 26 buds will open at once. Placement is beautiful.
35¢ ea.; 3 for **1.00**; 10 for **2.90**

1267 Lavender Gem. NEW! One of the newest in this color. Tall 5-ft. stems carry 22 buds with 10 big, 5½-in. flowers open. Color is rich lavender with a touch of deeper color in the throat. Long lasting when cut.
3 for **65¢**; 10 for **2.00**; 25 for **4.50**

1388 Lohengrin. NEW for '63! Medium lavender, 5¼-in. flowers have prominent white throat. Manhigh, 5-ft. spikes carry 22 buds with 8 open. A gorgeous variety!
3 for **65¢**; 10 for **2.00**; 25 for **4.50**

GIANT RUFFLED COLLECTION
10 outstanding varieties! Complete range of colors, separately labeled!
3 each: White Sails, Director, Harrisburger, Green Woodpecker, Copper Lustre, Friendship, Party Ruffles, Fort Knox, Topolino, Regina.
Order Group No. 1148
5.60 VALUE! **30 bulbs,** **3.95**

MAGIC TWIST STAKES

Protect Your Glads From Wind And Rain
Foliage-green wire stakes are practically invisible . . . require no tying . . . last a lifetime! Just push them into the soil, twist and your Glads are safe from storms. (See page 56)

		Wt.	Doz.	Wt.	25	Wt.	100
R2625L	18 in.	1 lb.	**1.35**	2 lbs.	**2.70**	7 lbs.	**10.50**
R2626L	24 in.	1 lb.	**1.50**	2 lbs.	**3.00**	9 lbs.	**11.75**
R2627L	36 in.	2 lbs.	**1.85**	4 lbs.	**3.70**	13 lbs.	**14.50**
R2628L	48 in.	2 lbs.	**2.15**	5½ lbs.	**4.30**	18 lbs.	**17.00**

NEW BUTTERFLY GLADIOLUS

(Color illustration B, p. 67)

Butterfly Glads — colorful and graceful as a butterfly on the wing — are noted for their dainty flowers and unusual markings! Larger than the miniatures . . . smaller than standard varieties . . . many are beautifully ruffled and most have contrasting butterfly shaped markings on the petals! Graceful stems permit gorgeous arrangements!

1225 Ares. Soft pinkish cream, vivid markings on lower petals. Ruffled. 10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

1228 Gypsy Love. Apricot-orange with a glowing scarlet "butterfly". Flowers well placed on tall straight stems. 10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

1229 Melodie. Beautiful clear, soft rose with yellow lips. 10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

1230 Topolino. NEW! Deep golden yellow, frilled with a big, scarlet "butterfly". A real find! 10 for **1.50**; 25 for **3.35**

1231 Summer Fairy. NEW! Unusual reddish salmon deepens toward the edges. Yellow throat with dark red "butterfly". 10 for **1.50**; 25 for **3.35**

1235 Mixed Colors. 10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

BUTTERFLY GLADIOLUS COLLECTION

Don't miss this new, exciting offer! Five each of the five beautiful Butterfly Gladiolus listed above — separately labeled!

Order Group **25 bulbs in all!**
No. 1163 **3.85 VALUE!** **2.75**

MINIATURE GLAD COLLECTION

3 bulbs each of these 7 varieties:

Atom **Leilani**
Bo Peep **Lil Abner**
Creamette **Little Diamond**
Daintiness

21 bulbs in all! Separately labeled.

Order Group
No. 1238 **4.55 VALUE!** **3.50**

MINIATURE GLADS

These dainty flowers, on straight, strong stems, are the jewels of the Gladiolus family. Their size — barely 3 in. across — and grace have made them extremely popular for flower arrangements, corsages, etc. They bloom earlier than the large varieties . . . extending the Gladiolus season. (Color illus. G, page 67)

1240 Atom. Clear vermilion with a gold edging is tops! Spikes are about 3½-ft. straight. Approx. 16 buds per stem. (Color illus. G-2, p. 67)
10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

1241 Bo Peep. A miniature queen, of soft buff-pink with yellow-cream throat. 8 ruffled florets open on the 3½-ft. spikes. (Color illus. G-1, p. 67)
10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

1378 Creamette. NEW for '63! (Color illus. G-3, p. 67) Beautifully ruffled light cream with deeper throat. Opens 7 flowers at once on 20 bud spike. Very early.
50¢ ea.; 3 for **1.25**; 10 for **3.75**

1265 Daintiness. NEW! Very heavily ruffled 3½-in. flowers are creamy-white with a deeper throat. Opens 8 flowers at once on a strong stem. Best white miniature. (Color illus. G-6, p. 67)
10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

1379 Dusky Lad. NEW for '63! Exotic mahogany and yellow combination, overlaid with smoky lavender. Opens 7 dainty ruffled flowers. Very unusual!
3 for **65¢**; 10 for **2.00**; 25 for **4.50**

1270 Frisky. AAS. NEW for '63! A lively, frolicsome ruffled scarlet showing just a hint of gold at the petal edge. Frisky opens 8 flowers that sparkle in sunshine. A delightful miniature.
35¢ ea.; 3 for **1.00**; 10 for **2.90**

1271 Goldilocks. AAS. NEW for '63! A charming miniature that has everything — lovely, clear golden-yellow color, beautiful sculptured form, ideal well-proportioned spikes and early blooms.
35¢ ea.; 3 for **1.00**; 10 for **2.90**

1243 Green Thumb. NEW! The first "green" miniature. Dainty green buds open to beautifully ruffled flowers of a soft greenish yellow. Tall, 16 bud spikes open 7 flowers at one time. Popular with flower arrangers because of its dainty form and delightful color.
10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

1381 Leilani. NEW for '63! Clear, soft rose ruffled flowers with soft, creamy throats . . . a gorgeous combination! Usually opens 6 to 7 bud spike. (Color illus. G-5, p. 67)
3 for **65¢**; 10 for **2.00**; 25 for **4.50**

1380 Lil Abner. NEW for '63! Striking deep yellow with red petal edges and bold scarlet throat. Slender, wiry spikes open to 6 to 8 out of 7 buds. Deservedly popular! (Color illus. G-7, p. 67)
10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

1382 Little Diamond. NEW for '63! Formal spikes open 7-9 brilliant scarlet flowers, with as many unopened buds. Dark red throats enhance the brightness. (Color illus. G-4, p. 67)
10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

1247 Little Pansy. AAS. NEW! Light violet with velvety, deep-blue, Pansy-like markings. 30-32 in. high; open 16-18 flowers.
35¢ ea.; 3 for **1.00**; 10 for **2.90**

1252 Fairy Mixture. Dainty, elfin flowers that brighten your garden like a flight of butterflies!
10 for **1.30**; 25 for **2.90**; 50 for **5.50**

GLADIOLUS HYBRIDIZER'S MIXTURE

NEW VARIETIES . . . NEW COLORS NEVER BEFORE OFFERED FOR SALE!

NEW LOW PRICE!

If you like **exclusive** new flowers, new colors in Glads — and what gardener doesn't like "firsts" — here's your chance!

These are big flowering-size bulbs, ready to bloom, that represent years of breeding work. As they grow and bud, you will watch them every day, waiting until you can show your friends new colors, new shades that will thrill you with their beauty!

We've included a gorgeous mixture of colors — you're sure to be pleased and happy with the results.

1236 Hybridizer's Mixture.
10 for **1.50**; 25 for **3.35**

(A) 1387 Flaming Torch

(B) 1259 Blushing Bride

(C) 1388 Lohengrin

(D) 1276 D'Artagnan

BRECK'S GLADIOLUS

GUARANTEED TO FLOWER
See also pages 38, 39, 40, 67

SMOKY VARIETIES

GROWING MORE POPULAR . . . YEAR AFTER YEAR!

"Smoky" Glads are unique! They are the only flowers to provide the greys and tans . . . the soft, muted shadings . . . which blend so well with modern decor. No discerning gardener or flower arranger should be without these beauties!

1258 Blue Smoke. NEW! A real addition to the "Smokies"! Beautifully ruffled 5-in. flowers give a luminous effect, even in dull weather. Throat is glowing salmon with a hint of rose at the lip. Outer edges shade to a real "blue smoke" . . . difficult to describe! Opens about 9 flowers on a straight, 22-bud spike. Unique! Supply limited. (Illus. C below)
3 for **65¢**; 10 for **2.00**; 25 for **4.50**

1177 Copper Lustre. A most intriguing combination of colors — dusky deep rose, with copper shades on the edge, dark tan center and rich red throat. (Illus. A below)
10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

1263 Prairie. NEW! Do you enjoy flowers that are different? This is! Big, 5-in. flowers are dusky, dark chocolate. Throat is lighter, with velvety red markings. 4-ft. straight spikes open 8 well-placed flowers at once. (Illus. D below)
10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

SMOKY VARIETIES, Continued

1193 Persian Rug. A smooth blend of muted plum and luscious rose with cream throat makes this beauty as strikingly exotic as the fabled "magic carpet"! (Illus. E below)
10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

1204 Rusty. AAS. Dark, smoky red with a bright red blotch on lower petals. Each petal edged with silvery white. Tall, strong stems open 8 flowers at once. Unique!
35¢ ea.; 3 for **1.00**; 10 for **2.90**

1221 Vanity Fair. NEW for '63! Beautifully different! Deep reddish brown, 5½-in. flowers with fine white veining. Tall, straight spikes. (Illus. B below)
10 for **1.50**; 25 for **3.35**

1220 Mixed Smoky Varieties. A mixture of the unusual and popular Glads; all colors and types!
10 for **1.40**; 25 for **3.15**

SMOKY COLLECTION
5 bulbs each of **Blue Smoke, Copper Lustre, Prairie, Vanity Fair.** Separately labeled. 20 bulbs.

Order Group No. 1127 — **3.15** VALUE! **20 Bulbs,** **2.50**

2 Collections, **4.75**

PLANT BULBS THE EASY ONE-STEP WAY!

Why dig holes! Easy-does-it bulb planter removes just-right amount of soil with one motion — saves time, work! Tapered 2⅜" wide cup makes perfect size, shape hole for bulbs, small plants . . . gauges depth, too. Lifetime triple chrome-plated, rustproof steel. Wooden handle. (1 lb.)
R3741 Bulb Planter. **1.39**

BRECK'S TOP-NOTCH GLAD MIXTURE

Our own famous, hand-picked mixture of choice giant varieties — truly the finest assortment we've ever assembled! Each and every one is a top-notcher . . . with tall, stately spikes and magnificent, mammoth flowers! We've included a glorious array of lovely colors . . . carefully blended to give you a breathtaking rainbow in your garden and your home! For a long, delightful season of bloom, start some Glads every two weeks, beginning in mid-April.

Order Group No. 1219 — **25 bulbs for 2.25**

10 for **1.00**
50 for **4.15**
100 for **8.00**
250 for **17.95**

IMPORTED STAINLESS STEEL MEASURING TROWEL

Made in England, this beautifully balanced tool is one of the highly-honored, prize-winning exhibits at The Design Centre, London. Made of strong, highly-polished stainless steel, the blade has easy-to-read, one inch graduations. Measure quickly and accurately as you dig . . . check distance between bulbs or plants . . . all with the same tool. Completely new and unique handle design makes digging a pleasure! Deluxe model, individually boxed. You'll want several to use as gifts!
R2422 Meas. Trowel. (1 lb.) **4.95**

SPERGON GLAD & BULB DUST

Before planting Glads, protect them with Spergon Glad & Bulb Dust to stop thrips and control diseases! Simply place bulbs in a paper bag, shake gently to cover with dust. Repeat in fall to preserve over winter.
R3047 Spergon, 8-oz. (½ lb.) **1.75**
R3048 Spergon, 1 lb. (1 lb.) **3.00**

(A) 1177 Copper Lustre

(B) 1221 Vanity Fair

(C) 1258 Blue Smoke

(D) 1263 Prairie

(E) 1193 Persian Rug

(E) 1285
Lucky Strike

(A) 1284 City Lights
(D) 1293 Sunburst
(B) 1281 Ballet Dancer
(F) 1288 Pink Lady
(C) 1282 Candy Stripe
(G) 1294 Whirlybird

BRECK'S EASY TO GROW

DAHLIAS

All large plump tubers, scientifically treated to prevent drying out. Guaranteed to reach you in top condition. GUARANTEED TO GROW AND BLOOM!

GIANT DECORATIVE TYPES

All 4 to 5 Feet Tall

1282 Candy Stripe. (Illus. C above.) Huge scarlet flowers. Each petal striped and tipped pure white. Very unusual.
1283 Chinese Lantern. Chinese lacquer red with a golden-tipped center. Big formal flower.
1285 Lucky Strike. (Illus. E above) Rich crimson. Outer petals somewhat pointed. A tremendous flower.
1286 Moonlight. Broad formal petals of soft yellow, perfectly arranged.
1287 Oriental Mystery. Deep amaranth purple with lighter shadings and white petal-tips. A big flower that always attracts attention!
1288 Pink Lady. (Illus. F above.) Wide-petalled formal flower. Glowing pink with creamy center. Marvelous cut-flowers.
1292 Snowstorm. Pure white with a hint of cream in the center. Formal shape with broad petals. Flowers last well in bouquets.
1293 Sunburst. (Illus. D above) Huge yellow-orange, formal type. Lighter petal-tips give sunburst effect. Will light up any garden!

ALL ABOVE, 75¢ EACH
3 OF ONE VARIETY, 2.00

QUICK-LIFE FOR BETTER DAHLIAS!

Bigger, better, more colorful blooms and stronger plants can be yours with no more effort than it takes to water your Dahlias! Breck's Quick-Life does the trick when as little as one tablespoonful is added to each gallon of water. (See also page 6)
R2133 Quick-Life, 1½-lbs. (1½ lbs.) **1.95**

DECORATIVE COLLECTION

Six formal and informal decoratives, each one different and named. All gorgeous colors!

Order No. 1126
4.00 VALUE! **All 6 for 3.50**

GIANT CACTUS TYPES

All 4 to 5 Feet Tall

1281 Ballet Dancer. (Illus. B above) Soft glowing pink, shading to gold in center. Beautiful curled and twisted petals.
1284 City Lights. (Illus. A above) Typical cactus form. Beautiful, big, canary yellow with pointed petals.
1289 Radiance. Big, gorgeous flowers. Clear pink with silvery-pink petal tips.
1290 Red Devil. Flaming scarlet that shines in the sun! Huge flowers; wide, pointed petals.
1291 Satellite. A brilliant red with tremendous flowers. Each pointed petal tipped with white.
1294 Whirlybird. (Illus. G above) Unique! Crimson with white tips and sharply pointed petals . . . gives an effect of whirling motion!
1295 White Lace. Pure white. Long, pointed petals with an informal lacy appearance.

ALL ABOVE, 75¢ EACH
3 OF ONE VARIETY, 2.00

CACTUS FLOWERED COLLECTION

Six Cactus-flowered Dahlias — in distinctly different named colors. Gorgeous quilled shapes.

Order No. 1123
4.00 VALUE! **All 6 for 3.50**

"DAHLIAS FOR EVERY GARDEN"

Every Dahlia lover . . . beginner or expert . . . needs this comprehensive 128-page book! Well illustrated in both black-and-white and color, this book answers all your questions on growing, propagating, fertilizing, storing — everything you need to know about Dahlias!
R1905 Dahlias For Every Garden. (¾ lb.) **2.95**

BOUQUET COLLECTION

Six lovely colors — all different double-flowered varieties. Good stems for cutting. Height 3 to 4 ft.

Order No. 1124
4.00 VALUE! **All 6 for 2.95**

POMPON DAHLIA COLLECTION

You'll cut bushels of blooms — and leave plenty for garden display! 6 beautiful colors — all different and marked. 4 to 5 ft.

Order No. 1125
4.00 VALUE! **All 6 for 2.95**

CROWN JEWEL COLLECTION

Six beautiful "jewel" colors — all named. Crown Jewels grow 16 to 18 in. high, but make good cut flowers. All single flowers.

Order No. 1121
4.00 VALUE! **All 6 for 2.95**

LONG-LASTING DAHLIA SUPPORTS

Square Plant Stakes. Heavy, tapering wooden stakes, nicely finished and painted dark foliage-green. Good support, particularly suited for heavier plants.

	Height	Doz.
R2646	4 ft. Stakes.	(Wt. 5 lbs.) **3.00**
R2647	5 ft. Stakes.	(Wt. 9 lbs.) **3.75**
R2648	6 ft. Stakes.	(Ex. Coll. 11 lbs.) **4.75**

SEQUESTRENE IRON CHELATE

Yellowish foliage, stunted growth are caused by "Iron Chlorosis" or lack of iron in soil. Sequestrene soluble powder corrects this. Use when watering or spraying. Mix with insecticides or plant foods. For acid or alkaline soils.
R3077 Sequestrene 330 Fe, 4-oz. (¼ lb.) **1.19**
R3078 Sequestrene 330 Fe, 1-lb. (1 lb.) **3.19**

(C) 4211 Golden Chalice Lily

(A) 4200 Gold Banded Lily

(D) 4208 Pink Polka Dot Lily

(B) 4203 Olympic Hybrid Lily

(E) 4201 Enchantment Lily

(F) 4212 Bright Star Lily

MONEY-SAVING HYBRID TRUMPET LILY COLLECTION

One bulb each of the 3 exotic Lilies listed: **Green Dragon, Pink Perfection, Golden Clarion.** 5.00 VALUE! **You save 2.00!**

Order Group No. 4214 — 3 Bulbs, Ppd. **3.00**

SPECIAL — NEW HYBRID GIANT TRUMPET LILIES

(Illustrated in color, p. 67.)

Spectacular new Hybrids — in different, exotic colors! Large, healthy bulbs are sure to grow big, long-lasting flowers. All are perfectly hardy. Guaranteed to grow.

4202 Golden Clarion. NEW! (Color illus. C, p. 67) Shade of soft lemon to rich golden yellow light up your garden! Beautiful, big flowers, usually on 6-ft. stems.

Large bulbs **1.50** ea.; 3 for **3.75**

4209 Green Dragon. NEW! (Color illus. F, p. 67) Huge, cool, icy-green trumpets on tall, straight stems. A new color in Lilies! Likes part shade.

Large bulbs **2.00** ea.; 3 for **4.95**

4210 Pink Perfection. NEW! (Color illus. A, p. 67) Big, gorgeous, soft pink flowers. Stems are often 6-ft. tall. Lovely color in part shade.

Large bulbs **1.50** ea.; 3 for **3.75**

HARDY LILY GARDEN

1 each. **Pink Polka Dot (Large), Easter Parade, Regale, Enchantment**

Order Group No. 4213 — 4.25 VALUE! **3.75**

GOLD BAND LILY Auratum

4200 New England grown. 5 ft. (Illus. A above) Huge, snow-white, fragrant flowers, up to 8 in. across, in July and August. Each petal delicately spotted with crimson, with a gold band running down the center. Delightful fragrance! Disease resistant bulbs, easy to grow.

1.75 ea.; 3 for **4.80**; 10 for **14.70**

EASTER PARADE LILY

4204 Pristine Splendor. 2 ft. Giant, hardy Easter Lilies to beautify your summer garden! Long (7-in.), purest white trumpets and dark green foliage. 4 to 6 flowers first year — up to 10 when established. Hardy for years.

1.95 ea.; 3 for **5.50**; 10 for **16.40**

NEW SPECIOSUM UN-NAMED HYBRIDS

Now you can own ***the only flower of its kind in the world!*** Hybrid lilies of a rare bloodline with flowers up to 10-12" across! By July or August, you may have a flower worth many times its cost! Colors range from white flushed with pale pink to white with vivid red markings and dots. Hardy, New England grown bulbs grow from two to four feet. Order early — supply is limited. Limit 3 bulbs per customer.

Order Group No. 4206 — 3 for **4.95** Each **2.00**

ENCHANTMENT LILY

4201 3 ft. (Illus. E above) Big, brilliant, tawny-red blooms — as many as 10-14 on one stalk. Blooms early in July and lasts for weeks. Easy to grow . . . multiplies rapidly.

75¢ ea.; 3 for **2.00**; 10 for **6.25**

THE REGAL LILY

4205 Regale. 3 to 5 ft. Huge, fragrant white trumpets with golden flushed throats and soft wine shadings on outside petals! As many as 12 blooms. Sure-to-bloom strain of New England grown bulbs.

75¢ ea.; 3 for **2.00**; 10 for **6.25**

BRECK'S HARDY DISEASE RESISTANT

GARDEN LILIES

AMERICAN GROWN

BRIGHT STAR LILY

4212 3 ft. NEW for '63! (Color illus. F above) A glorious combination of soft, ivory-white shading to a bright golden orange star center. Fourteen or more long-lasting, waxy-textured 6-in. flowers decorate each stem. Every bloom a corsage in itself! Award of Merit. Aalsmeer. July flowering.

1.50 ea; 3 for **3.75**

GOLDEN CHALICE LILY

4211 3 ft. (Color illus. C above) An early-blooming hybrid Lily with big, wide-open, upright-flowers that shade from clear yellow, through gold, to apricot. Strong, vigorous growth and unusual drought tolerance make it almost foolproof. Its many bulblets soon make a big, strong clump of color in your garden. May-June flowering.

85¢ ea.; 3 for **2.35**

OLYMPIC HYBRID LILY

4203 4 to 6 ft. (Color illus. B above) One of the most spectacular Lilies grown! Extremely hardy and vigorous — 12 flowers to a stem is not unusual. Wide range of form and colors from white, shaded rose, to cream and fuchsia-pink. August blooming.

75¢ ea.; 3 for **2.00**

PINK POLKA DOT LILY

Speciosum Rubrum (Illus. D above) 3 to 4 ft. Queen of the August garden, fragrant as well as beautiful! Gracefully recurved white flowers, flushed with pink. Each petal daintily spotted with crimson. As many as 10 or more flowers. New England grown.

4207 Large Bulbs. **80¢** ea.; 3 for **2.20**; 10 for **6.70**
4208 Jumbo Bulbs. **1.50** ea.; 3 for **4.10**; 10 for **12.60**

(A) 1117 The President Canna

(B)F0150 Hybrid Amaryllis, Man From Mars

(C) 1370 Miniature Amaryllis

(D) 1108 Canna Bed

(E) 1008 Anemones

(F) Gloxinia

(G) 1348 Gloriosa Climbing Lily

BORDERS, BEDS OF BEAUTIFUL

CANNAS

PLANT BRECK'S CIRCULAR BED FOR A DRAMATIC DISPLAY

BRECK'S CANNA COLLECTIONS

Color-packed assortments of the 5 varieties of Giant Cannas listed below. Key their brilliant displays to your garden scheme, or use alone to produce gorgeous masses of spectacular color!

25 Bulbs (5 ea. of 5 below) **Order Group No. 1110** **6.25** **7.25** VALUE!

10 Bulbs (2 ea. of 5 below) **Order Group No. 1109** **3.45** **4.00** VALUE!

GIANT CANNAS

1114 King Humbert. Brilliant orange-scarlet Bronze foliage. 4 ft.

1113 Hungaria. Glowing rose-pink. Green foliage. 4 ft.

1117 The President. Striking scarlet. Green foliage. 4 ft. (Illus. A above)

1115 King Midas. Sun-bright yellow. Green foliage. 4 ft.

1116 Shenandoah. Luminous salmon pink. Bronze foliage. 4 ft.

3 for **1.00**; 10 for **2.90**
25 for **6.90**; 100 for **25.00**

BRECK'S 7-FT. CIRCULAR CANNA BED

Bulbs Available March to May

1108 4 ft. You'll be thrilled with the bold, breath-takingly colorful effect when you plant this 7-ft. circular Canna Bed! Lush, tropical foliage topped with clusters of brilliant, rainbow-hued blooms will brighten an otherwise uninteresting corner. Nothing equals the glory of these handsome blooms for mass plantings! You get 12 King Humbert for the outside row, 6 King Midas for the next row and 2 The President for the center . . . 20 roots in all!
(Illus. D above) See descriptions above. **4.95**
6.00 VALUE!

ANEMONES, Single de Caen

Bulbs Available March to May

1008 1 ft. Long-stemmed, exotic, Poppy-like single blooms of blue, purple, soft rose, vivid scarlet and snow-white. Blooms in May or June. (Illus. E above)
10 for **1.00**; 25 for **2.35**

AMARYLLIS SEED

F0150 Man From Mars. NEW for '63! (Illus. B above) Now, for the first time, a giant red Hybrid Amaryllis from seed! Easy to grow, they start to form bulbs at once and flower in 2 to 3 years. By that time, each bulb will be worth many times the cost of the package of seed. Flowers are tremendous — 8 to 9 in. across —as many as 5 on a stem! Color is pure, brilliant red.

Easy To Grow From Seed

Growing Amaryllis from seed is amazingly easy — and very rewarding. Seed germinates in a little over a week, forming tiny bulbs at once. The simplest — and most interesting — way to sprout these seeds is to float them on a saucer or shallow dish of water. They'll sprout very quickly and may be transplanted to small pots in a few weeks . . . usually with no losses whatsoever. Use 2½ or 3-in. pots at first.
Pkt. (10 seeds) **1.00**

POTTED HYBRID AMARYLLIS

Available January to May

4142 (Color illustration B, page 68) Huge, brilliant scarlet blooms, as many as 5 . . . often more . . . each flower up to 7-in. across! Each dormant bulb comes preplanted in an attractive pot — ready to grow and bloom. Guaranteed to bloom in 30 to 60 days. Flowers year after year! Easy to grow. Open box at once!
Each **3.95**

MINIATURE AMARYLLIS

Bulbs Available November to May

Zephyranthes. 10-12 in. Beautiful, long blooming, star-shaped flowers! They grow with little or no effort, bloom all summer. Soft colors add interest and charm to the summer garden. Perfect for patio boxes, tubs, house plants. (Illustration C above)

1368 Rose.	10 for **1.50**;	25 for **3.35**
1369 White (Candida).	10 for **1.50**;	25 for **3.35**
1370 Yellow.	10 for **1.50**;	25 for **3.35**
1371 Mixed Colors.	10 for **1.35**;	25 for **3.00**

GLOXINIAS

(Illus. F above and color illus. C, p. 68)

Available January to March

Huge, exotic, trumpet-shaped blooms with velvety texture in rich, brilliant colors — on sturdy plants! Plant from mid-January to mid-March . . . they'll make your home glow with vibrant color all summer!

1313 Deep Blue
1312 Azure-Blue
1314 Pure White
1315 Scarlet with white throat
1316 Scarlet with frilled edge
65¢ ea., 3 for **1.80**; 10 for **5.50**

GLOXINIA GARDEN

1 bulb each of 5 colors listed.

Order Group No. 1309 **3.25** VALUE! **Five bulbs, 2.75**

GLORIOSA CLIMBING LILY

Available March to June

1348 Rothchildeana. (Illus. G above) Gorgeous colorful lilies from tropical Africa climb to 3 ft. on trellis or stake. Big 4-in. flowers are brilliant yellow and crimson with wavy petals, fantastically twisted and recurved. Long-lasting cut flowers and corsages! **Easy to grow;** plant outdoors after frost, in partial shade.

Ea. **1.25**; 3 for **3.40**

GIANT RANUNCULUS

Bulbs Available March to May

1361 15 in. (Color illus. E, p. 67) Huge double and semi-double 3-in. blooms in brilliant shades of yellow, red, orange, pink, white. Prefer sunny, well-drained location. Plant in garden in March and April.
10 for **1.00**; 25 for **2.35**; 100 for **8.50**

BRECK'S GUARANTEE

We guarantee complete satisfaction with Breck's Seeds, Bulbs and Plants to the full amount of the purchase price. If you are not satisfied, you may have a full refund, replacement or exchange any time within one year. Our 146-year-old reputation for fair dealing stands behind this guarantee! Your word is final! Order with confidence from Breck's!

(A) 1092 Caladium, Summer Snow

(B) 1086 Caladium Kit

FLAMINGO CALADIUMS

(C) 1356 Montbretias

(D) 1001 Peacock Orchid (Acidanthera)

(E) Caladium Border

COLORFUL GARDEN ACCENTS!

HANDSOME EDGING, TOO!

(See Illus. E at left)

1. Caladiums will do well outdoors where summer daily temperatures average 70° or more. This includes most of the United States except the extreme northern section.

2. They are very much at home in deep shade . . . where little else will grow . . . providing masses of gorgeous color to brighten dark corners. They do well in semi-shade and also in full sunlight. When grown in full sun, they should not be allowed to become dry.

3. Bulbs may be started indoors as early as February 15 and transplanted outdoors when weather is settled warm. They do not like cold weather. Caladiums, of course, do well in pots or tubs used as patio decorations or in window boxes.

4. Bulbs planted directly into the garden when soil is warm (after Memorial Day in the latitude of Boston) will produce magnificent plants in less than a month!

CALLA LILIES

Available March to May

1104 Snow-White Calla. 2½ ft. (Color illus. E, p. 68) Huge, long-lasting blooms of purest snow-white, rising majestically above large, white-flecked, rich green leaves.

1102 Golden Calla. 2½ ft. (Color illus. D, p. 68) Gorgeous, richly textured flowers of pure golden yellow. Contrasting dark green, silver-spotted foliage.

1103 Beautiful Pink Calla. 1 ft. (Color illus. F, p. 68) Dwarf plants with soft, rosy-pink blossoms and attractive long, slender leaves.

All above varieties:
60¢ ea.; 3 for **1.65**; 10 for **5.00**

BRECK'S MONEY-SAVING CALLA COLLECTION

1 bulb each of **Snow-White, Golden Yellow, Pink,** described below. A marvelous display for indoors or outdoors. You get 3 bulbs in all!

Order Group No. 1099 **All 3** **1.50**
1.80 VALUE! **for only**

MONTBRETIAS

(Illus. C above)

New Earlham Hybrids

Available March to May

1356 Sunset Shades. A glorious range of warm sunset colors on spikes resembling miniature Gladiolus. Earlham Hybrids are larger flowered. Graceful crimson, scarlet, bronze, orange, yellow and copper flowers are perched on 2-ft. wiry stems. Blooms August through October.

10 for **1.25**; 25 for **2.80**; 100 for **10.25**

AZTEC FLOWER (Tigridia)

(Color illustration A, page 2)

Available March to May

1363 Mexican Shell Flowers. 18-24 in. Brilliantly colored flowers with spotted throats and contrasting outer petals. Colors are from soft white through yellow, pinks, oranges to red. Easy to grow, they produce new flowers every day, from July to frost. Special low price!

10 for **1.00**; 25 for **1.98**
50 for **3.69**; 100 for **6.98**

PEACOCK ORCHID Acidanthera

Available February to May

1001 Murielae. (Illus. D above) Delicate creamy-white with purple-brown center. You'll love its haunting fragrance! Plant in May in moist, rich deep soil. Often referred to as fragrant Gladiolus.

10 for **1.25**; 25 for **2.80**; 100 for **10.25**

PERUVIAN DAFFODILS

Available March to May

1359 Ismene Advance. 2 ft. (Color illus. H, p. 67) Fragrant, pure white trumpets with striking apple green throats. Each flower surrounded by five long, pure white, curved sepals. Four or more gigantic flowers to a stem. New improved strain. Spectacular and easy to grow.

75¢ ea.; 3 for **1.95**

TUBEROSES, Double Pearl

Available February to May

1365 2 ft. (Color illus. D, p. 67) Beautiful, waxy, double blooms of purest snow-white . . . a favorite with all who grow them . . . have a haunting, penetrating fragrance you'll never forget! Easy to grow. Plant in well-drained soil in a sunny location.

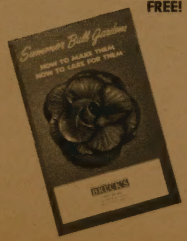
3 for **65¢**; 10 for **1.85**
25 for **4.25**; 100 for **15.50**

DWARF LILY OF THE NILE

1006 Agapanthus, Peter Pan. 18 in. NEW for '63! The most beautiful blue in the summer garden! Complete description on page 3.

1.95 ea; 3 for **4.95**

FREE! "HOW TO GROW BULBS"



With every order for Bulbs, we include, free of charge, this attractive 8-page booklet on how to grow and how to care for all summer flowering Bulbs. Complete information on planting, growing, harvesting and winter care of the bulbs. Another Breck's service to help you have Better Gardens!

FLAMINGO CALADIUMS

Available February to May

1090 Blaze. Brilliant red on dark green.

1092 Summer Snow. (Illus. A above) Creamy white with dark green veining and edgings. Extremely effective at twilight!

1091 Pink Seashell. Delicate, light salmon-pink edged with green. Large bulbs.

Ea., **60¢**; 3 for **1.65**
10 for **5.00**; 25 for **11.40**

1094 Mixed Colors. (Color illus. C, p. 2) A magnificent mixture of all the known colors in Caladiums — burgundy, white, pink, green. Large bulbs.

3 for **1.50**; 10 for **4.50**; 25 for **9.95**

CALADIUM COLLECTION

Three outstanding colors! 1 each of:
Blaze, Summer Snow, Pink Seashell

Order Group **3 Bulbs,** **1.50**
No. 1085 **1.80** VALUE!

CALADIUM STARTER KITS

3 Bulbs — Planter — Peat!

Get professional results with Caladiums by starting them early in Breck's Caladium Starter Kit! Kit has 3 bulbs already planted in rich peat — just add water! Transplant without setback . . . produce big, gorgeous plants easily, quickly! Planter is 8¼x6¾x2⅝ in. to fit windowsill, porch rail. 1 each: Summer Snow, Blaze, Pink Seashell. (Illus. B above)

1086 Caladium Kit. Postpaid. **1.85**
3 kits (9 Tubers) Postpaid. **4.95**

Breck's Striking, New & Colorful ARROW-HEAD CALADIUMS

1093 1 ft. NEW! Dwarf, bushy plants. Slender, wavy-edged, arrow-head leaves up to 9-in. long, are glossier than regular Caladiums. Colorful red, green, white foliage. Use for edgings, borders or as pot plants for patio or window garden. Mixed colors only.

3 for **2.00**; 10 for **6.30**
25 for **14.25** Each, **75¢**

(A) 4236 Tree Hydrangea

(B) 4237 3-in-1 Rose of Sharon

(C) 4238 Giant Blueberries

(D) 4239 Burning Bush

(E) 4240 Pink Dogwood

(F) 4242 Everblooming Rose Hedge

3-in-1 ROSE OF SHARON

WILL BLOOM THIS VERY SUMMER — A FANTASTIC RAINBOW OF COLOR!

Giant, double **RED, WHITE** and **PURPLE** Rose-like flowers — up to 3½-in. across — with gorgeous waved and fluted petals. Amazing? Yes, but **all in flower** at once, **on the very same bush!** It's fantastic, but true, as you can see for yourself this summer. Blooming in July, when most flowering shrubs have only green leaves, this rainbow shrub will make your summer days a riot of color. **Hardy,** even in sub-zero areas, very **easy to grow.** Spring is the ideal time of year to plant these fabulous shrubs. They'll grow up to 8-10 feet tall. (Color illus. B above) **4237** Strong 12-18 in. plants. Postpaid. **3.95** ea.; 3 for **10.00**; 6 for **19.00**

BILLOWY FLOWERHEADS OF EVERCHANGING BEAUTY

TREE HYDRANGEA

(Hydrangea Paniculata Grand, Tree Form)

This amazing small tree bursts forth into bloom the very first year — in as few as 60 to 90 days after planting. You'll thrill to the lavish abundance of tier-upon-tier of huge blossoms! You'll thrill to its ever-changing beauty of color, too . . . this year and for a whole lifetime. Big, gorgeous blooms start in July, when they are **green** in color. August changes them to **white** and they are bright **pink** in September. October's coolness changes them to **deep bronzy purple.**

You'll never tire of this lovely small tree . . . which will never outgrow its surroundings. Extremely hardy, it grows and blooms in any soil, even in shade . . . yes, even under adverse city conditions. Plant as a specimen or in groups of three to spotlight your home. (Color illus. A above)

Superb specimens, 3 to 5 ft. tall. Postpaid.
4236 5.00 ea.; 3 for **12.95**; 6 for **24.95**.

GIANT BLUEBERRIES

PICK GIANT BERRIES UP TO 2 IN. AROUND!

Pick huge crops of Giant Blueberries for eating, for delicious pies — freeze them for year-round enjoyment. We offer three varieties — **early, mid-season** and **late** — for maximum crops and longest season of fruit. (Color illus. C above)

Every spring, these bushes are covered with exquisite blooms . . . loaded with huge clusters of giant berries in the summer, berries so big that 15-18 fill a fruit dish. The waxy green foliage is beautiful in itself — semi-evergreen, but turning brilliant orange-red every fall. Bushes grow 3 to 5 ft. tall and last a lifetime. 18-24 in. Well-rooted, ready to bloom. Postpaid.

4238 Collection of 3 plants 1 ea.: Early, Midseason and Late **6.00**
2 Coll. **11.00**
3 Coll. **16.00**

BURNING BUSH

(Euonymus alatus compactus)
HARDY! DWARF!
DAZZLING FALL COLOR!

Your Burning Bush will amaze you — year after year — season after season! Its clean, dark-green foliage shows the soft yellow spring blossoms to perfection. Summer brings a wealth of orange berries, but the most amazing, most remarkable transformation is in autumn when every leaf turns to flaming scarlet. This color is so vivid, so breathtaking that the whole bush seems to be on fire as the colorful leaves dance in the breeze. Even in winter, the strange, winged bark attracts attention.

So easy to grow, too! Grows even in semi-shade. Seldom needs pruning as growth is very compact and sturdy. Full size is 4-5 ft. high — 3-4 ft. wide. Plant one or more as specimens, where you can revel in their beauty — or use as a hedge of traffic-stopping, fall color. (Color illus. D above)

15-18 in. Well-branched, heavily rooted. Ppd.
4239 2.95 ea.; 3 for **8.25**; 6 for **16.00**

BRECK'S GUARANTEE

We guarantee complete satisfaction with Breck's Seeds, Bulbs and Plants to the full amount of the purchase price. Our 146 year-old reputation for fair dealing stands behind this guarantee! Order with confidence from Breck's!

EVERBLOOMING ROSE HEDGE

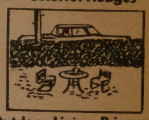
(Robin Hood)

FOR PRIVACY AND GLORIOUS COLOR!
MASSES OF RED ROSES, SPRING 'TIL FALL!

1. Protect Children

2. Colorful Hedges

3. As a Screen



4. Outdoor Living Privacy

Here's a living fence, a flowering hedge, a clump of specimen plants that will amaze and delight you year after year. Use them where and as you will — these Hybrid Musk Roses have been acclaimed as the most beautiful hedge rose ever offered! True hybrid vigor for rapid growth and tremendous resistance to ordinary Rose diseases such as black spot and mildew. Proven hardy at sub-zero temperatures . . . upright growing, require no support. Trim only to keep desired height for a living wall of gorgeous Cherry-red Roses, borne in huge clusters. You'll use as cut-flowers too! (Color illus. F above)

Strong plants — plant 18 in. apart. Postpaid.
4242 5 for **4.95**; 10 for **8.95**; 25 for **21.00**; 50 for **39.95**; 100 for **70.00**

COLORFUL PINK DOGWOOD (Cornus Florida Rubra)

What could be lovelier, or more typical of spring, than a Pink Dogwood! Big, gorgeous, rosy-pink flowers just smother this artistic tree every spring. For every blossom you will have a cluster of brilliant, scarlet berries in late summer, followed by an astounding display of brilliant, coppery-red foliage that glows like fire in the sun. Dogwoods are a graceful addition to any garden. Their unique branching habit makes them stand out in any planting. They like sunshine — growing to a height of 15-20 feet. Use as single specimens on lawns or in combination with other medium sized trees. (Color illus. E above)

4240 Pink Dogwood. Sturdy 2-3 ft. trees. Postpaid. Each **4.95**
4241 White Dogwood. Sturdy 2-3 ft. trees. Postpaid. Each. **2.95**

DEEP BLUE HYDRANGEA (Hydrangea Domotoi)
Clouds of Long-Lasting Giant Blue Flowers . . . All Summer!

Gorgeous, spectacular, deep blue flowers that measure a foot or more across and last almost three months! Blooms in part shade or full sun and is winter-hardy to 20° below zero. Changes color, too! Deep blue in acid soil, pink in neutral or alkaline (limestone) soils. Grows 2 to 4 feet tall and about the same across. Blooms June to September.

Sturdy No. 1 plants — best planting size. Postpaid.

4235 2.25 each; 3 for 6.50; 6 for 12.00; 10 for 19.00

GIANT CLEMATIS (Bloom in 60-90 days)

A solid curtain of brilliant colors . . . blossom piled on blossom in spectacular profusion . . . spreading 3 to 4 feet across and 6 to 10 feet tall. Masses of color from July to September! They like sun with shade at the roots. Plant behind low shrubs or even annuals.

Strong, potted plants for easy transplanting. Postpaid.

4227 Red; **4228** Blue-Purple; **4229** White; **4230** Pink
2.50 each; 3 for 7.00; 6 for 13.00

(A) Giant Corsage Mums

(B) Dwarf Floribunda Mums

(B) DWARF FLORIBUNDA MUMS

Brilliant mounds of living color every fall! The quantities of flowers produced by these gorgeous Mums are almost unbelievable! Use in perennial garden, rock garden, foundation planting. Strong, healthy, pot-grown plants. Will bloom this fall. Postpaid.

4250 Red **4253** Yellow
4251 Bronze **4254** Pink
4252 White **4255** Purple

All above: 6 for 4.95; 12 for 9.50; 18 for 14.00

(A) GIANT CORSAGE MUMS
Guaranteed To Bloom

Now you can pick your own giant Football Mums, with flowers 5 to 6 in. across, right from your own garden! (Color illus. A above.) Strong, healthy, pot-grown plants. Will bloom this fall. Postpaid.

4243 Ruby Red (Fred Stone)
4244 Sunny Yellow (Illinois)
4245 Snowy White (Grace Bradshaw)
4246 Rich Bronze (Purdue)
4247 Raspberry Rose (Stylish)
4248 Burnt Orange (Eamon Andrews)

All above: 6 for 4.95; 12 for 9.50; 18 for 14.00

FRAGRANT GIANT DOUBLE TREE PEONIES

Rare, treasured, pride of Oriental Emperors . . . its masses of huge 8-in. flowers will adorn your garden with colorful all-summer bloom! 4-6 ft. high. Grows more beautiful for years!

Sturdy 2 and 3 year plants. Postpaid.

4257 Red; **4258** White; **4259** Pink
4.95 each; 3 for 11.95; 6 for 21.95; 12 for 39.95

DWARF 5-IN-1 APPLE TREES
EVERBEARING — SELF POLLINATING
Pick Five Kinds of Apples From One Dwarf Tree!

Bushels of luscious red and yellow Apples summer to early winter, for eating, baking, cooking! Big fruit of McIntosh, Red & Yellow Delicious, Cortland, Northern Spy. 2 year, 4-5 ft. trees. Postpaid.

4261 5.95 each; 3 for 16.95

RED-LEAF SMOKE TREE
UNIQUE — SPECTACULAR — COLORFUL

You'll be thrilled with this old favorite in its gorgeous new coloring! The combination of dark-red leaves and smoky-purple plumes is eye-arresting! Glorious bloom from mid-July until October. Perfect for ranch homes. Strong 2-3 ft. trees. Postpaid.

4270 4.95 each; 2 for 8.95; 4 for 16.95

(A) 4265 Living Fence

(B) 4264 Hills of Snow Hydrangea

(C) 4263 Boxwood Privet

(D) 4262 Lombardy Poplars (E) 4266 Clump Birch

Beauty and Protection with LIVING FENCE

World's Toughest, Fastest Growing Hedge!
(Rosa Multiflora)

Planted in the spring, this hardy, fast-growing shrub rose will show you 3 to 4 ft. of sturdy protection by summer. A beautiful, practical and inexpensive fence for farm plot, property line or large garden. Grows in almost any soil. The spicy fragrance of the pink and white flowers, plus an abundance of red berries in the fall, adds even more to this attractive hedge.

Rosa Multiflora will protect your property against trespassers, children, animals . . . even against sheep and cows the year round. No support required. Can be used to reinforce any existing fence for more protection.

Strong, healthy plants are cut back to 18-24 in. for shipping and to help them branch even more rapidly. Full grown hedge is about 8 feet tall. May be kept to lower heights by clipping once or twice a season. Use 25 plants to each 40 ft. of hedge. (Illus. A) Postpaid.

4265 10 for **2.95**; 25 for **5.95**; 50 for **9.95**;
100 for **17.95**; 200 for **34.95**

HILLS OF SNOW

(H. arborescens grandiflora)
Mounds of Snowy White . . . All Summer Long!

You'll enjoy the pure white beauty of these gorgeous big white flowers, month after month, from July to October! Big giant snowball clusters up to 6 inches across, against the loveliest rich green foliage you ever saw. Grows and blooms even in shade, where other shrubs won't live. Plant in your foundation planting . . . along property lines . . . on either side of walk or entrance way. Grows 4 to 5 ft. high and 3 or 4 feet across. (Illus. B)

Well-branched, bushy plants, 18-24 in. Ppd.
4264 2.00 ea.; 3 for **5.75**;
6 for **11.00**; 10 for **18.00**

EMERALD ISLE "BOXWOOD" PRIVET

NEW — A Breck's Exclusive!

Have you ever envied the beautiful, shapely Boxwood hedges and specimen plants in display gardens? Now you, too, can enjoy the same beauty and symmetry — but at a fraction of the price you would pay for genuine Boxwood.

Emerald Isle "Boxwood" Privet gives you all the advantages of Boxwood, yet it is perfectly hardy, easier to grow, and less expensive. Its rounded leaves look exactly like Boxwood, it can be sheared and trimmed in the same way and it holds its lovely, glossy green leaves until Thanksgiving, even in cold Northern climates.

Grow as a beautiful hedge, at any height you desire . . . grow as specimen plants, trimmed and sheared to your own taste. (Illus. C)

Strong, healthy 15-18 in. plants. Postpaid.
4263 2.00 ea.; 3 for **5.50**;
10 for **15.00**; 25 for **30.00**

Brighten Your Home With Curtains of Living Color! GIANT CLEMATIS

(Blooms in 60-90 days)

A solid curtain of brilliant color . . . blossom piled on blossom in spectacular profusion . . . spreading 3 to 4 feet across and 6 to 10 feet tall! Grow them on arbors, trellises, even on old tree stumps for masses of color from July to September. Clematis like sun but prefer shade at the roots, so plant them behind low shrubs or even behind annuals. Beautiful as cut flowers, lasting as long as 10 days in water. (Color illus. page 47) Postpaid.

Strong, potted plants for easy transplanting.
4227 Blazing Red **4228** Bright Blue-Purple
4229 Creamy White **4230** Brilliant Pink
2.50 each; 3 for **7.00**; 6 for **13.00**
Collection — 1 each color.
Order Group No. **4231** 4 plants, **9.00**

DWARF 5-IN-1 APPLE TREES EVERBEARING—SELF POLLINATING

Pick Five Kinds of Apples from One Dwarf Tree!

Beautiful pink and white blossoms every spring, followed by bushels of colorful, delicious red and yellow Apples from summer to early winter! Finest for eating, baking, cooking! Full-sized fruit of McIntosh, Red Delicious, Cortland, Yellow Delicious, Northern Spy. Perfect for small yard or garden. (Color illus. page 47)

Well-branched 2 year, 4-5 ft. trees. Postpaid.
4261 5.95 each; 3 for **16.95**

Landscape-Size LOMBARDY POPLARS

(Populus nigra Italica)
- **Big Tree Beauty Quickly!**
- • **Grows 5-6 Feet A Year!**
- • • **Roof-High in Just 2 Seasons!**

Here's a tall, slender, pillar-like tree that will amaze you with its quick growth. Growing up to 5-6 feet, each year, they soon reach their ultimate height of 30-50 feet, clothed from top to bottom in glossy, rich green foliage which dances and sparkles in the slightest breeze.

Lombardy Poplars make amazing tall specimens when used as accents in your garden planting. They create **a living wall of beauty** when planted six feet apart to screen out an unsightly view, give you privacy from the eyes of strangers, protect your garden and home from high winds.

Easy to grow, they'll thrive in any soil — even in wet spots. Summer breezes filter through the branches to cool you, grass grows right up to their trunks. The delicate tracery of the branches is beautiful even against a winter sky! (Illus. D)

Strong, 4-6 ft. fast-growing specimens. Postpaid.
4262 2 for **3.95**; 5 for **7.95**; 10 for **13.95**
25 for **27.95**; 50 for **54.95**

Year 'Round Beauty With WHITE CLUMP BIRCH

- **Spring — Beautiful early catkins**
- **Summer — Cool airy shade**
- **Autumn — Bright yellow foliage**
- **Winter — Shining white bark**

What can add more year-round beauty to a home than one . . . or several . . . groups of three or more lovely, graceful White Birchs? You'll **know** that spring has come when the Birch catkins open. You'll gaze, enraptured, at the delicate pattern of sun and shade on your home and lawn as the leaves flutter in the lightest breeze. Look at the lovely homes you see pictured. What trees do they show? White Birches, of course — they always add beauty to a home or lawn. And the autumn color . . . clear, bright golden yellow that shines in the sun to light your whole neighborhood. Even in winter, the snowy-white bark, etched with contrasting black lines, makes spring seem nearer. Best of all, your lawn will be green right up to the trunks even when they reach their full 25-30 ft. height. (Illus. E)

Triple stemmed clumps, 3-4 ft. Postpaid.
4266 Each clump, **4.95**

LAVENDER SHRUB

(Vitex Macrophylla)

A beautiful summer-flowering shrub that reaches a height of 6 to 8 ft. Gorgeous long sprays of lavender-purple flowers reach out from the silvery-grey foliage to make a breathtaking spectacle almost all summer long. Starts to bloom in July and lasts until September, providing color at a time when few shrubs are in bloom. Beautiful among Evergreens. (Color illus. A, back cover)

Strong 18-24 in. plants. Postpaid.
4226 2.00 ea.; 3 for **5.75**; 6 for **11.00**; 10 for **18.00**

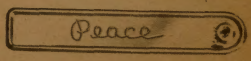
DEEP BLUE HYDRANGEA

(Hydrangea Domotoi)
Clouds of Long-Lasting Giant Blue Flowers All Summer!

Gorgeous, spectacular, deep blue flowers that measure a foot or more across and last almost three months! Set off by luxurious brightest green, disease-resistant foliage, Blue Hydrangeas make a showplace of any garden!

This amazing shrub blooms in part shade or full sun and it is winter hardy to 20° below zero. Changes color, too. Deep blue in acid soil, pink in neutral or alkaline (limestone) soils. Grows 2 to 4 feet tall and about the same across. Starts to bloom in June and lasts into September. (Color illus. page 47)

Sturdy No. 1 plants — best planting size. Ppd.
4235 2.25 ea.; 3 for **6.50**; 6 for **12.00**; 10 for **19.00**



PERMANENT TALABELS

The answer to your plant label problem! Write with pencil or ballpoint pen on their rustproof metal surface — plant name is embossed, never wears off.
R2929 3½-in. Talabels. Pkg. of 100. (½ lb.) **1.00**

RASPBERRIES and BLACKBERRIES

For a continuous crop from June 'til mid October, plant these:

TENDER-SWEET RASPBERRIES

4133 Amber (Yellow). Everbearing. Appealing pineapple-yellow, pink-tinged when ripe. As for flavor, this new, full-o'-juice creation is superb! Unlike other yellow raspberries, Amber is firm, never tough. Prolific yields from early July. Postpaid.

5 for **3.25**; 10 for **4.95**; 25 for **8.95**

4137 Madawaska. Very early. Largest early berry, top quality, on heavy canes. Two weeks earlier than Latham. Postpaid.

4135 Latham. Mid-Season. Excellent for canning and freezing — keeps its flavor and bright red color. Vigorous, needs no expert care. Extremely productive. Postpaid.

4139 Durham. Everbearing. Tangy, wild-raspberry flavor and extra firmness are combined in this University of New Hampshire creation. Heavy foliage protects from frost. Postpaid.

Above Three Varieties:
5 for **1.95**; 10 for **2.95**; 25 for **4.95**

BLACKBERRIES

4129 Blackberry, Bailey. A new introduction from New York's famous Geneva Experiment Station. Produces enormous crops of huge, flavorful, glossy-black berries. Experts agree that this is the finest Blackberry to date! Ppd.

5 for **2.95**; 10 for **4.60**; 25 for **7.95**

STRAWBERRIES

4105 Premier (Howard 17). Early. The only frost-proof strawberry — safest for northern states and high altitudes. Extremely prolific over long season. Postpaid.

4106 Fairfax. Early. Very large, high quality — sweetest berries we know. Postpaid.

4107 Robinson. Mid-Season. Plump, shiny-red berries make a picture-book shortcake! Outstanding variety. Postpaid.

4108 Catskill. Late. Hardy, good cropper. Best companion for Premier to extend your picking season. Postpaid.

All Above 25 for **2.75**; 50 for **3.75**
100 for **5.50**; 500 for **21.95**

4104 Superfection. Everbearing. Very large, roundish berries, dark red clear through. Ripens June till November, produces another crop following Spring. Postpaid.

25 for **3.50**; 50 for **4.95**; 100 for **6.95**

RED RICH, EVERBEARING STRAWBERRY

4103 (Wt. 3 lbs. per 25 plants.) Rich in color — right through the core! Sweet! Rich in juice! Jumbo size, solid and firm, tops for freezing. Plant in April or May for beautiful fruit by August . . . and from June in future years.

25 for **5.00**; 50 for **8.50**; 100 for **15.00**

PYRAMID BED

Amazing Small-Space "Garden" Produces Bushels O' Berries!

Even the smallest home can harvest a bountiful crop of luscious ripe strawberries from only **6 sq. ft.** That's all you need to accommodate this attractive, circular-terraced wonder garden. Keeps **50 plants** elevated, to let each juicy berry bask in sunlight . . . produces quicker, more abundant harvests.

4116 Pyramid Bed with Sprinkler Unit (sprinkler, tubing, hose connections), three 5-in. wide corrugated aluminum bands, assembling and planting instructions. (Illus. C) Postpaid. **7.95**

4119 Transparent Plastic Cover protects against frost when starting seeds, plantings early! Lets you get more "growing time" per plant — earlier, better crops! (Illus. D) Postpaid. **4.95**

4120 Support Frames form a dome-support for plastic or net covers. Transforms your Pyramid Bed into a miniature green house in just a few minutes! Set of 6 rods. (Illus. E) Postpaid. **3.30**

4118 Protective Netting guards your tender young plants, seedlings from "pecking" birds! Strong, durable — use it as cover for winter mulch, too! (Illus. F) Postpaid. **6.35**

Pick Bushels Of Delicious Nuts From Your Own Trees!

WALNUT TREES

(Juglans regia)

Now, you can grow bumper crops of the new Carpathian, thin-shelled Walnuts. Grows where older strains won't thrive. Proven hardy in below-zero climates! Will grow to 40-60 ft. high. Beauty, as well as utility! The attractive glossy green foliage provides cool summer shade and delightful autumn coloring. When you harvest a bountiful crop of these delicious thin-shelled golden Walnuts and taste their delicious flavor, you'll be the envy of your neighbors. All the nuts you can use! Single trees have been known to produce as much as 150 lbs. of walnuts a year. (Illus. A)

Top quality — 2 to 3 ft. Trees. Postpaid.
4267 5.95 ea.; 2 for **10.95**; 5 for **22.95**

NUT TREE COLLECTION

Make this money-saving collection the beginning of a bountiful supply of delicious Walnuts and Chestnuts for years of good eating!

2 English Walnuts & 2 Chestnut Trees
Order Group **4 Nut Trees**
No. 4269 **for only** **14.95** **Ppd.**

CHESTNUT TREES

Beautiful, ornamental shade trees that produce plump, juicy Chestnuts! New Chinese strain . . . grows quickly . . . bears early . . . is practically blight-free and produces heavily. Much larger than the old American variety, with comparable flavor.

Think of your home framed and shaded by these beautiful trees that will reach a height of 30-40 ft. — and soon produce up to 100 lbs. of delicious nuts each year, starting to bear only 2 to 4 years from now. You'll love their flavor, roasted over an open fire or as a full-flavored Chestnut stuffing at Thanksgiving. Easiest to grow. **Guaranteed to bear if two or more are planted for pollination!** (Illus. B)

Strong-growing 2-3 ft. trees. Postpaid.

4268 2 for **5.00**; 5 for **10.00**; 10 for **19.00**

PROTECT YOUR VALUABLE CROPS THE MANY-PURPOSE WAY!

This remarkable spray formula will protect your valuable trees and crops against insects and diseases. It's so easy to use, and the spray-chart on the label tells you just when to use for best results. 1 lb. makes 10 gals. of spray.

R2040 1 lb. **1.98**
R2041 3 lbs. **4.95**

BRECK'S PYRAMID®

PYRAMID BED Complete With PLANTS!
4117 You get 50 **Red Rich, Everbearing Strawberry** plants and 3-tier, 6-ft. diam. **Pyramid Bed** (three 5-in. wide corrugated aluminum bands) with Sprinkler unit and complete instructions.

MONEY SAVING COMBINATION! **14.95** **Ppd.**

ALUMINUM STRAWBERRY BARREL

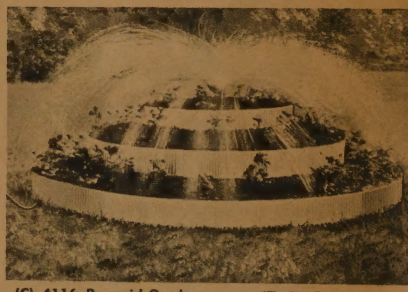
NEW LOW PRICE!

Scientifically designed for easy-use — a better, more luscious berry crop! 48 horizontal planter cups hold tender fruit free of mud, soil . . . berries grow in the air! Moisture and plant food go directly to roots via inset tube . . . no messy overflow! Made of heavy-gauge, rust-proof, lifetime aluminum. Shipped in 4 easy-to-assemble sections. (Illus. G)

R2843L Aluminum Strawberry Barrel. (10 lbs.) **17.95**

(A) 4267 Walnut Tree

(B) 4268 Chestnut Tree



(C) 4116 Pyramid Garden

(F) 4118 Netting

(D) 4119 Cover

(E) 4120 Support Frames

(G) R2843L Strawberry Barrel

(A) 4189 Azalea Mollis

(B) Hybrid Rhododendron

Purpureum grandiflorum

BRECK'S SPECIAL

AZALEA

PACKAGES

Any of Packages below Wt. 6 lbs. **5.95** **Pkg. of 12 Plants**

Shipped Insured Parcel Post

Each package worth $50 to $75 in 3 to 5 years! Masses of flaming brilliance! Use as accents with formal evergreen or mass in blocks of color. Hardy, tolerant of acid soil, ideal for northern gardens. Sturdy plants in 2-in. bands that will amaze you with their rapid growth and ability to bloom in two or three years. Order early. Your plants will be shipped at the best planting time for your area.

4189 Mollis, The Flame Azalea. Large clusters of beautiful, big flowers in May. Mixed colors, ranging from delicate yellow through golden salmon to terra-cotta and red. 12 in all. (Color illus. A above)

4197 Long-Season Rainbow Azalea Garden. 6 Azalea Mollis and 6 Azalea Mucronulatum (early, bright lavender). Blooms last for weeks.

4198 Azalea-Rhododendron Combination. 6 Azalea Mollis and 6 Hybrid Rhododendrons. 12 in all. This combination will give you an amazing and brilliant range of colors over a long period.

4195 Brilliant Collection. A bright combination! 6 Azalea Kaempferi Flame. 6 Hybrid Rhododendrons. The early flaming color of Flame will brighten the dullest garden, and the Rhododendrons will continue the parade well into summer!

4190 Azalea Mucronulatum. Outstanding, because of its early flowering and bright, spring-like color. Blooming with the Forsythias, its lovely, bright lavender flowers are a never-to-be-forgotten sight! Each spring, we receive more letters requesting the name of this colorful blossom than we do about any other plant!

RHODODENDRONS

SEED GROWN HYBRID RHODODENDRONS

Grown from specially selected seeds

The chance of a lifetime to start a collection of gorgeous, colorful, hardy Hybrid Rhododendrons at very small cost — **less than 50¢ each!** In just a few years, these plants will be worth many, many times their cost. They'll enhance the beauty of your property and make it more valuable, too. A riot of glorious color in June — evergreen the year 'round, these Hybrids are grown from hand-picked seeds, selected from the most beautiful, most vigorous plants. **Reserve your plants early. They will be shipped to you at best planting time.**

12 Rhododendron Plants. **ONLY** **5.95**

Shipped Insured Parcel Post.

Order Group No. 4152 (6 lbs.)

WILT PRUF SAVES PLANTS!

SAFE AND EASY TO USE

Why risk plant or shrub losses? Wilt Pruf protects plants against wilting due to **transplanting, drought, summer scald, winter kill.** Use on Shrubs, Evergreens, Roses, Trees, Seedlings and Cuttings. Used by professional growers. Comes in handy ready-to-spray applicator or in concentrates to use in any sprayer.

R3441	8-oz. Filled Applicator.	(¾ lb.)	**1.49**
R3442	1-pt. Concentrate.	(1¼ lbs.)	**1.98**
R3443	1-qt. Concentrate.	(2¾ lbs.)	**3.50**

TRUE-TO-COLOR NAMED HYBRIDS

GROWN FROM SELECTED CUTTINGS!

- **Big, gorgeous flowers!**
- **True to name, true to color!**
- **Healthy — well-rooted!**
- **Grow and bloom in shade!**
- **Evergreen the year 'round!**

Start adding a lifetime of beauty to your garden . . . plant these big 9 to 12 in. plants, carefully hand-grown from cuttings taken from **named Hybrids.** Guaranteed to grow, guaranteed true to color . . . in a very few years they will be big, breathtakingly beautiful plants worth $25 to $50! Every plant shipped in its own big, special, 4-in. plant band, carefully packed and shipped to you in a patented shipping container made to hold 4 plants. Guaranteed to arrive in perfect condition, ready to start growing at once. Supply is limited, of course. **Reserve your plants early. They will be shipped at best planting time.** (Color illustration above.)

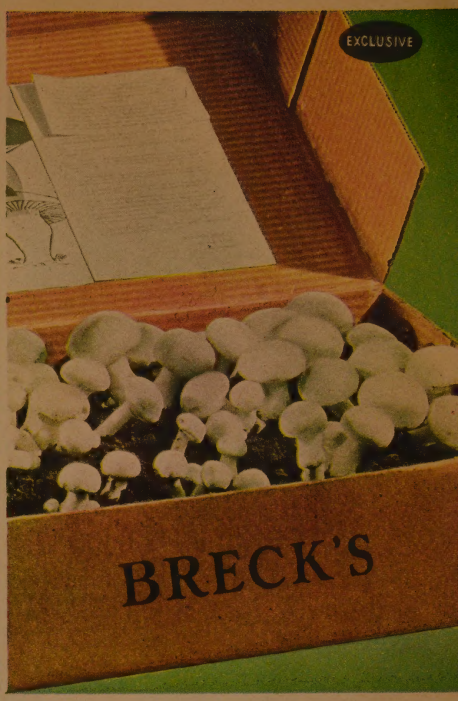
Named Hybrid Rhododendron Plants 1 ea. Nova Zembla, Catawbiense album, Purpureum Grandiflorum, Roseum elegans (all illus. above). Shipped insured Parcel Post.

YOU PAY ONLY **8.95** **Ppd.**

Order Group No. 4154

(A) 4183 Holly Tree

(B) 4101 Sonjana Climbing Strawberry



(C) 4114 Mushroom Tray

Mushrooms like magic from

BRECK'S MUSHROOM TRAYS

Pick fresh mushrooms in about 30 days after starting **Breck's Mushroom Trays!** You'll be picking them for weeks . . . and eating like a king! Easy to grow in cellar, game room or any suitable place where there is no direct sunlight and the temperature remains between 55° and 65°. Just follow simple instructions (included) and harvest the finest white mushrooms you have ever eaten! (Illus. C above)

Interesting And Educational!

Breck's Mushroom Trays illustrate the wonders of nature in a way that fascinates young and old alike! The mere fact that Mushrooms are produced with little or no light, often in places where normal plants would not live, is a never-ending source of wonder to all. Best of all — the crop is big, luscious and so tasty — a real gourmet treat!

Order No. 4114 Complete Kit. Ppd. **3.95**
2 kits to one address. **7.50**

HOLLY TREES

- **For Year 'Round Beauty!**
- **Grow Your Own Christmas Decorations!**

Brighten your lawn and home at Christmas and all year 'round with decorative Holly trees! Hollies are beautifully shaped, pyramidal evergreen trees with bright red berries. Hardy from Massachusetts southward, they will stand full sun or partial shade . . . grow best in acid soil with plenty of humus. All plants are selected for best performance and hardiness in the locality where you will grow them — **in your own garden!** If your local climate is no colder than Massachusetts, you can grow these beautiful trees to perfection, enjoying their glossy foliage and shapely beauty the year round, their colorful red berries every fall and winter. Berries are borne on female plants. One male is included in each grouping to insure pollination. Branched 9 to 12 in. high . . . marked to show sex. (Illus. A above)

4183 Holly. (2 female, 1 male incl.) 5 lbs. **6.95**

4184 Holly. (5 female, 1 male incl.) 10 lbs. **12.95**

CLIMBING STRAWBERRY

PRICE REDUCED!

CLIMBS OVER 4 FEET!

THE ORIGINAL

SONJANA

9 PLANTS FOR **6.95** Ppd.

- **Handsome! Ornamental!**
- **Everbearing!**
- **Big Juicy Strawberries!**
- **Clean Fruit!**

The sensation of Europe . . . climbs over 4 ft.! You get big, juicy berries with delicious wild strawberry flavor! Bears profusely June to frost. Pick right off the vine — no stooping, no dirt — berries grow up away from soil! Hardy, fast-growing, pot-grown plants are shipped ready-to-grow at the right time for your area . . . from February 10 on. Guaranteed to blossom and fruit all summer! (Illus. B above)

4101 9 Sonjana Climbing Strawberry Plants. Postpaid. **6.95**

18 Plants, **13.50**; 24 Plants, **17.75**

SEND YOUR ORDER EARLY

All plants will be sent to you at just the right time for planting in your locality. Early ordering will help us to give you the best possible service and, at the same time, protect you against possible shortages which may occur late in the season.

JUICY, JUMBO-SIZE "OZARK BEAUTY"

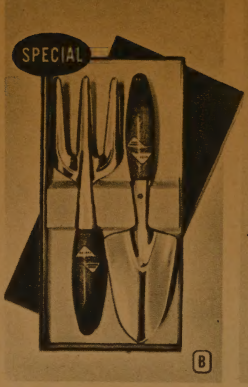
STRAWBERRIES!

Order No. 4109
25 HARDY PLANTS ONLY **4.95** Ppd.

50 PLANTS (Postpaid.) **7.95**
100 PLANTS (Postpaid.) **9.95**

4109 Ozark Beauty. The largest, sweetest, juiciest **all red** berry we've ever seen! One plant produces up to **one pint the first year,** and **one quart the second year!** Pick Ozark Beauty all summer and fall — right up to frost! The berries illustrated were picked as late as Sept. 18. Strong, healthy plants just waiting their chance to produce red-to-the-core strawberries their chance to produce luscious, red-to-the-core strawberries galore! Ozark Beauty is one of the most remarkable strawberries we have seen. You will agree that nothing can beat it for tremendous crops. Color and flavor are just as outstanding. If you enjoy fresh strawberries — and who doesn't — you must grow some of these.

Useful, Practical Aids to BETTER GARDENING



(A) PRUNEEZY COMBINATION PRUNER

Special Import from England

Finest-quality **double-duty** pruner for all pruning chores! Famous 8-in. Pruneezy hand pruner with tempered and ground **Sheffield steel** blade cuts sapwood up to ⅞ in. Rustproof, nickel-plated steel handles and concealed leaf spring for lifetime use. Slip on the Hi-Reach Adaptor for hard-to-reach pruning. Lightweight, 4½-ft. long, with rubber handle grips — gives tremendous leverage, slices branches easily.

R2587L Hi-Reach Adaptor Complete with Pruneezy Pruning Shear. (3 lbs.) **9.95**

R2588 Pruning Shears Only. (¾ lb.) **3.50**

(B) IMPORTED ENGLISH STAINLESS STEEL GARDEN TOOLS

These deluxe, imported, sturdily-crafted tools are the very finest you can buy! Handsome implements are expertly made of stainless steel to give a lifetime of service . . . will never rust, even if left in the rain! Well-balanced handles of smoothly varnished wood make them a real pleasure to use. 11¾" long.

R2424 Trowel. (¾ lb.) **3.95**

R2423 3-Tine Hand Fork. (½ lb.) **3.95**

Save on Combination:

R2425 Trowel & Fork. (1¼ lbs.) **6.95**

(C) CAPE COD WEEDER

A handy, ingenious tool originally used in the cranberry bogs of Cape Cod! Three-in-one action . . . cuts, weeds and cultivates — all with this one unique tool! Saves you time . . . ends need to tote extra tools. Rugged steel blade with contoured, easy-grip wooden handle. 9½-in. long overall; 3-in. angled blade tip.

R3742 Weeder. (½ lb.) **1.00**

(D) KNEE GUARDS

For Gardening Comfort

Work on your knees in comfort for hours with Neegards! Light sponge rubber cushions strap over and around each knee . . . stay firmly in place, yet allow ample freedom of movement! They're contour-shaped to fit knees . . . give thorough protection against hard, cold, damp ground. Keep knees mud-free, too! Adjustable straps . . . comfortable on any size leg.

R2534 Neegards. (1 lb.) Pr., **1.98**

(E) BRECK'S AEROSOL TREE WOUND HEALER

Easiest, cleanest-to-use way to prevent infected bug-ridden trees . . . stop tree death from cut and damaged areas. Just spray for complete protection and quick healing of cut branches, damaged areas. Contains Allantoin (growth stimulant and tissue healer). 12-oz. spray can.

R2083 Tree Wound Healer. (1 lb.) **1.49**

(F) GARDENER'S KNEE REST & TOOL CADDY

Here's welcome comfort for weeding, trimming, other garden chores that require a kneeling position! This sturdy metal support with 14½" high bars makes it easy to get up and down. Saves knees, too, with soft **foam padding!** Convenient trough holds seeds, tools, gloves. You'll suffer no more from stiff, hurt knees and leg joints caused by hard boards or ground!

R2676 Knee Rest. (6 lbs.) **5.95**

(G) SPOUT-O-MATIC

- **Stops "Drain-Water" Damage!**
- **Recoils Automatically!**

End the age-old problem of "gouged-out" soil from cascading drain-water . . . prevent muddy water puddles around house that leak into basement . . . with ingenious Spout-O-Matic! **It sprinkles when it rains . . . coils when it's clear!** Just attach to drain opening and forget it! 48-in. long, grass-green, weatherproof hose (7-in. wide) carries down-rushing water to a safe distance from house . . . disperses it through "seep holes" and multiple holes at the end! After the downpour has stopped, stainless steel inner springs cause the hose to recoil automatically. **Fits either round or rectangular spouts.**

R2835 Spout-O-Matic. (1 lb.) **4.98**

(H) CAPESKIN GARDEN GLOVES

- **Superbly Finished! • Washable**
- **Durable — Will Last for Years**

Glamour in the garden! These superbly finished, washable white capeskin garden gloves are definitely a welcome accessory for the ladies . . . they're supple and soft as velvet! So attractive, you'll wear them for driving and scores of outdoor tasks, too — you'll even be tempted to don them for dress! Durably stitched, they'll last for years, protecting your hands prettily! Ladies' sizes only.

R2526 Small Gloves, size 6. (¼ lb.) **2.25**

R2527 Medium Gloves, size 7. (¼ lb.) **2.25**

R2528 Large Gloves, size 8. (¼ lb.) **2.25**

See pages 46 – 51
For Trees and Shrubs

(I) MEN'S RUBBER STRETCH BOOTS

- **Lightweight, Fold to Fit in Pocket**
- **Rugged Black Pure Gum Rubber**
- **Stretch to Fit Any Type Shoe**
- **Easy to Put On — No Struggle!**

Boots that fold into your pocket! Amazing! They're the toughest and strongest ever — yet lightweight enough to carry right in your pocket! Made of durable, black pure gum rubber, with non-skid so-lo-prene soles, they slip on with no tugging . . . s-t-r-e-t-c-h to fit easily over all dress or work shoes . . . give sure protection from toe to knee, from mud, dirt, moisture! No seams, no pinching! Handsome for city storm wear, rugged enough for camping, fishing, farming. Boots fold small for toting in pocket, glove compartment, tackle box . . . take them everywhere! Men's sizes.

R2691 Boots, Size 6-7. (1½ lbs.) **5.95**

R2692 Boots, Size 7½-8½. (1½ lbs.) **5.95**

R2693 Boots, Size 9-10. (1½ lbs.) **5.95**

R2694 Boots, Size 10½-11½. (1½ lbs.) **5.95**

R2698 Boots, Size 12-13. (1½ lbs.) **5.95**

(J) LADIES LATEX GARD'N BOOTS

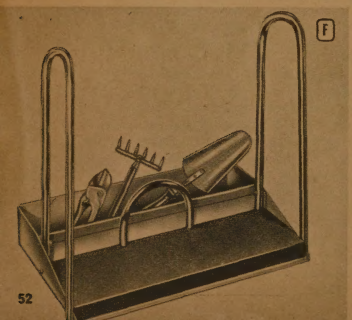
- **Pretty and Practical!**
- **Keep Feet Dry & Clean!**
- **Slip On and Off Easily!**
- **Made of Durable Latex!**

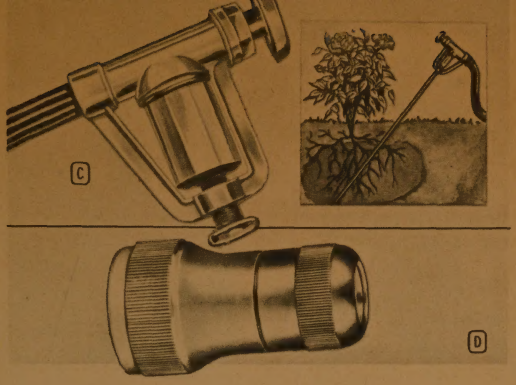
Green as grass, they're much prettier and far more practical than those sneakers you've been wearing . . . more protective, too! They'll keep your feet dry, and floors clean in any weather! Just slip them on for gardening, slip them off before entering the house — leave mud, dirt, grass outside. Garden Boots are made of tough, tree-grown latex with durable so-lo-prene soles and heels. Lightweight, waterproof and dustproof, they're easy to slip on and remove, comfortable over shoes or bare feet. Handy for watering the lawn, washing the car — you'll wear them in stormy weather, too! Women's sizes.

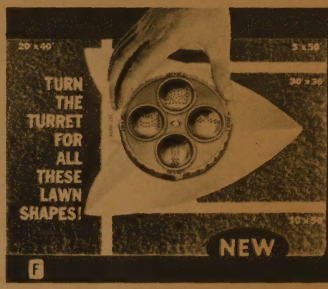
R2730 Women's Boot, Size 4-6. (1¼ lb.) **2.98**

R2731 Women's Boot, Size 6-8. (1¼ lb.) **2.98**

R2732 Women's Boot, Size 8-10. (1¼ lb.) **2.98**







(A) BEST HOSE BUY
With FREE Hose Hanger!

Sturdy, lightweight, flexible plastic hose, guaranteed against defects for **12** years! ½" diam. provides good spray even with low water-pressure. Standard chrome-on-brass couplings fit all outlets, sprinklers. Bright yellow; 60 ft. long.

R2430 60-ft. Hose & Hanger (7 lbs.) **3.49**

NON-KINK RUBBER HOSE

Red, ⅝-inch diameter rubber hose has many advantages! Stays flexible even in cold weather, stands high pressures without "blowouts", won't kink! Guaranteed against defects for **12** years. 50 ft. long.

R2431 50-ft. Rubber Hose. (10 lbs.) **7.98**

(H) SOIL SOAKER

- **Reduces Water Bills 25-40%!**
- **No Spray To Evaporate!**

Soaks like an all-night rain . . . deep and slowly! A simple, easy way to put water just where it's needed — in the soil at the plant roots! Water seeps through every pore of the flexible, 1⅝-*in heavy* "canvas" tubing . . . soaking without washing. Fits any garden hose. Operates at any normal pressure.

R3735 12-ft. Soaker. (½ lb.) **2.10**
R3736 18 ft. Soaker. (¾ lb.) **2.85**
R3737 30-ft. Soaker. (1¼ lbs.) **4.10**
R3738 50-ft. Soaker. (2 lbs.) **6.50**

(C) ROSS IRRIGATOR AND ROOT FEEDER

Puts plant food and water at the roots where it goes to work immediately. Insert **up to 3** cartridges, attach to hose and push sturdy, 34-in. precision built rod into soil. Feeds and waters in spring, summer, fall. Evergreens are especially susceptible after dry fall weather. Always use Root Feeder before freeze-up!

R3726L Root Feeder Complete with 12 Regular Diet cartridges. (3 lbs.) **6.98**

Regular Diet Cartridges (8-16-8). Complete plant food for lawns, flowers, shrubs.
R3727 Cartridges. (½ lb.) Doz., **1.00**

Acid Cartridges (10-20-20). For Evergreens, Rhododendrons, Blueberries, or any acid-loving plants.
R3728 Cartridges. (½ lb.) Doz., **1.00**

Starter Cartridges (9-46-15). For quick rooting of plants, especially after transplanting.
R3729 Cartridges. (½ lb.) Doz., **1.00**

Rose Cartridges (15-25-10). Plus Iron for better bloom, brighter colors, more show.
R3730 Cartridges. (½ lb.) Doz., **1.00**

Soil Corrective Cartridges (5-35-10). Iron Chelate and plant food. Keeps foliage green.
R3731 Cartridges. (½ lb.) Doz., **1.50**

Tree Cartridges (25-10-10). For lush foliage, sturdy roots, better bloom, fruit.
R3732 Cartridges. (3 lb.) Pkg. of 60, **3.98**

(E) GAY BIRD HOSE GUIDE

Decorative lawn and garden "pet" guides your hose easily around flower beds or plants . . . prevents damaged or crushed shrubbery and plants . . . ends "hose marks" on lawn. Cheery white cast aluminum bird on 10" iron rod carries your hose on his back, or lets you loop it around sturdy roller beneath. Insert in ground anywhere.

R2762 Guide. (1¼ lbs.) **3.50**; 3 for **9.75**

(F) WAVE MASTER TURRET SPRINKLER
Waters Strips, Rectangles, Squares

Just twist 4-position turret top and versatile sprinkler **covers any lawn shape desired** — without wetting adjacent areas! Sprays long narrow strips along driveways, walks, flower beds — or large or small rectangular and square areas. Attaches to hose; covers with soft, misty spray. Chromed brass turret, high-impact base. 9¾x7½x2½".

R2805 Turret Sprinkler. (1 lb.) **3.19**

(D) DEW-ALL HOSE NOZZLE

Eight ways new! Provides one-hand finger-tip control . . . one-turn adjustment for any size stream or spray! Has double shut-off . . . permanent nylon seal. Handy short length; lightweight. Rustproof metal; fits any hose. Self cleaning.

R2777 Dew-All Hose Noz. (½ lb.) **2.95**

(G) SIX-ARM OCTOPUS HOSE
Soaks Six Plants At Once!

Deep-soaks six plants at the same time — saves time, work and water! Attached to any standard hose, it extends 6 varied-length arms (two each of six-foot, eight-foot and ten-foot) to where water is needed! Helps prevent leaf burn, bloom loss, mildew. Ends can be looped and easily tied off when fewer than 6 are wanted. Weatherproof, lightweight, durable green plastic. Brass fittings.

R2877 6-Arm Octopus Hose. (1½ lbs.) **2.98**

(J) INSTANT HOSE COUPLING

No more leaky connections! Just a quarter-turn connects your hose, faucet, nozzle or sprinkler . . . any hose attachments! Positively **leakproof** — no rings or washers to wear out! It's built on the same principle as high-pressure steam quick couplers. Rustproof, all metal.

R2773 Instant Hose Coupling. (¼ lb.) **1.00**
R2774 Male Coupler Only. (¼ lb.) **40c**

(K) DROUGHT-MASTER WATER SOAKER
- **Deep, Steady Soaking!**
- **No Washout!**

Just attach to hose . . . turn water on *full* blast . . . and let Water Soaker do the rest! Easiest way to give flower beds, lawns, vegetable gardens, trees, shrubs a good, deep, steady soaking! **Gentle** flood action never harms roots with washout . . . even in the softest earth. Provides thorough, better watering . . . less often! No wet foliage to cause leaf burns, plant diseases. Slips under lower branches and leaves. Of durable aluminum; no moving parts to wear out or replace. Patented baffle inside gives perfect performance.

R2841 Water Soaker. (¼ lb.) **1.69**

(B) FOGG-IT HOSE FOG NOZZLE

Attached to any garden hose, it produces — under any pressure — a drenching fog that will not harm or wash out the tenderest seedling. A must for watering newly seeded lawns, rare greenhouse plants. Creates needed humidity!

R2776 Fogg-It Hose Nozzle. (¼ lb.) **1.95**

(I) PORTABLE, VERSATILE HOSE-TENDER RACK

- **Holds Hose Near Faucet Or Anywhere!**
- **Holds Hose While It Sprinkles!**
- **Hangs It Up For Winter Storage!**

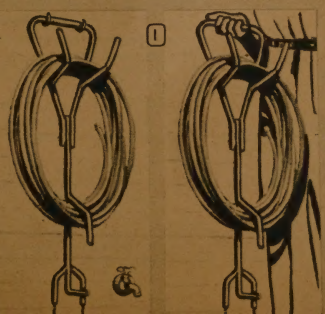
Versatile, portable rack stores 100 feet of hose anywhere! Hang it right on the faucet, always ready to use . . . or take it along with you as you water . . . saves you time and steps! Use while sprinkling, too . . . adjustable clip holds nozzle in sprinkling position. Loop handle makes it easy to carry, or hangs it up for compact winter storage. Metal prongs at bottom make it a handy lawn aerator or paper pick-up. Made of durable steel tubing.

R4177 Portable Hose Tender. (3½ lbs.) **3.95**

(L) GARDENER'S POCKET KNIFE

Genuine Henckels pocket-size knife of finest quality is ideal for grafting, budding, cutting . . . a hundred nursery and home uses! **Two swing-out blades;** ivory handle. 4" closed.

R2768 Gardener's Pocket Knife. (¼ lb.) **6.75**



Guaranteed To Give You A Lush Green Lawn

Especially Blended For New England

R2303
5 lbs.

7.85

BRECK'S FAMOUS "1818" LAWN SEED

Breck's 1818 — named for the year Joseph Breck began selling seeds — is the finest Lawn Seed money can buy. Homeowners in New England have looked upon it as the standard of perfection for generations.

100% Perennial Grasses

Only the very finest strains of Bluegrass, Fescue and Bentgrass, cleaned and recleaned to the peak of perfection, are considered good enough for Breck's "1818". Guaranteed 100% perennial grasses, 99.7% weed free, over 97% pure seed, with a very high seed count, Breck's "1818" is economical to use. One pound contains up to **six times** as many seeds as so-called "economy" mixtures. **Breck's guarantees you a good lawn or your money back.**

R2301 "1818", 1 lb. Ppd. **1.65** **R2303** "1818", 5 lbs. Ppd. **7.85**
R2302 "1818", 2 lbs. Ppd. **3.25** **R2304** "1818", 25 lbs. Ppd. **37.00**

BRECK'S SHADY SPOT LAWN SEED

The same clean, pure seeds, formulated to thrive in difficult shady locations. Postpaid.

R2340 1 lb. **1.60;** **R2341** 5 lbs. **7.60;** **R2342** 25 lbs. **36.00**

Pre-Seeded Roll-Out Grass Planter

R2405 **98¢**

- **Guaranteed!**
- **Easy to Use!**
- **For Slopes!**
- **For Bare Spots!**

JIFFY LAWN PATCH

The easiest, most sure-fire way to patch bare spots in lawns. Easy to cut and shape and easy to care for, cellulose planter protects seeds, holds moisture until they come up. Prevents washing on slopes and terraces where starting grass is a real problem. Finest quality seeds — guaranteed to grow.

R2405 Lawn Patch, 18x100". (¼ lb.) **98c**
R2406 Lawn Patch, 18x216". (½ lb.) **1.98**

DOOM KILLS JAP BEETLES

One Application Protects Turf

10 oz.

3.75

Jap Beetle grubs feed on grass roots! One application of this milky-disease-spore powder in late Spring causes fatal disease in grubs . . . gives permanent control! ½ lb. treats 2000 sq. ft. Harmless to humans, pets, plants.

R3023 Doom, 10 oz. (¾ lb.) **3.75**
R3024 Doom, 2½ lbs. (2½ lbs.) **14.75**
R3025 Doom, 5 lbs. (5 lbs.) **28.75**

BRECK'S VELTURF LAWN SEED — FOR THE NORTH

- **100% Permanent Turf Grasses!**
- **Results Guaranteed**
- **Millions of Seeds in Every Pound!**

Only the newest and finest strains of Bluegrasses and Fescues are used in Breck's Velturf Lawn Seed. Thick, dark-green and velvety-textured, with deep penetrating root systems, they produce a long-wearing, drought-resistant turf with that much-to-be-desired Country Club look you have always wanted!

Balanced Blend For Beauty, Durability

Breck's Velturf is a perfectly balanced blend, the result of years of experiment and observation, containing five 100% permanent turf grasses — no fillers — no chaff — no cheap "nurse-grasses"! High germination produces quick sprouting, fast growth to form a thick, heavy turf that keeps out weeds of all kinds.

Velturf Costs Less Per Square Foot

Good lawns grow from **seeds,** not **pounds!** One pound of Breck's Velturf contains millions of pure, high-germinating seeds — more than six times as many as typical cheap mixtures. It covers more area and produces better, more permanent grass that does not require seeding year after year.

Guaranteed Results!

Because of the care we use — selecting nothing but the best and finest — **Breck's guarantees you a lawn** when you use Velturf. Your money will be refunded if you are not satisfied!

R2345 Velturf, 500 sq. ft. Postpaid. **3.25;** **R2346** Velturf, 1000 sq. ft. Postpaid. **5.95**
R2347 Velturf, 5000 sq. ft. Postpaid. **26.90**

MEYER ZOYSIA — FOR THE SOUTH

- **Air Shipment — Guarantees Freshness!**
- **Officially Certified — Unconditionally Guaranteed!**

The dream of all home-owners! A rich green, healthy lawn that, once established, requires little watering, less mowing, thrives in the broiling summer sun and crowds out weeds and crabgrass, can be yours with Meyer Z-52 Zoysia root runners.

Beautiful, Thick Green Turf

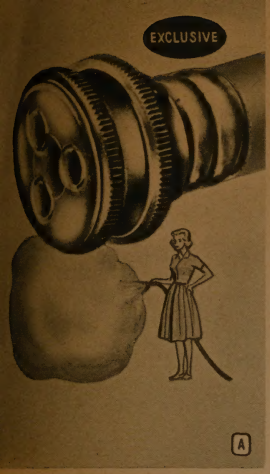
A fully developed turf of this extraordinarily beautiful and even textured grass is a sight to behold. Forming a dense, deep-green carpet, it retains its color even in extreme heat and under scorching sun that browns out conventional lawns.

Economical — Guaranteed Fresh!

Meyer Z-52 root runners go farther and spread faster! They form a thick healthy turf in a matter of months. Certified, guaranteed to grow runners are bursting with "grow-power". **Special packaging** and prepaid **Air Shipment** guarantees their freshness on arrival. Complete instructions with every shipment. Shipping season March through October.

Since Meyer Z-52 Zoysia "browns out" during freezing weather, we do not recommend it for areas North of New Jersey.

R4151 Zoysia. (Shipped Mar. thru Oct.) Jumbo Bag (for 500 sq. ft.), Postpaid. **11.90**
3 Bags (for 1500 sq. ft.), Postpaid. **32.95**



(A) SOFTSPRAY FOG NOZZLE

- **Fine, Gentle Mist!**
- **Prevents Damage!**

Inexpensive garden necessity produces a fine, drenching fog that drifts gently over plants, seedlings and newly-seeded lawns . . . penetrating the soil quickly and evenly. Prevents plants from being damaged by heavy spray and seed from being washed out! Fine mist is absorbed into soil more rapidly. Prevents crusting, too! Made of lifetime rustproof metal; attaches to any standard garden hose.

R2150 Softspray Nozzle. (½ lb.) **1.19**

(C) CHICK-NOT CHICKWEED KILLER

Now in handy new **spray** form! No mixing, digging, backaches, waste . . . when you use amazing Chickweed Killer! Formulated with Propionic Acid — 2,4,5-TRP for fast, complete spot killing of chickweed and other unwanted broadleaf lawn weed pests (crab grass, dandelion, plantain, clovers, dallis grass). PLUS the latest "arsenicals" development — Dodecyl and Amine Methyl Arsonates for ***overnight kill of crab grass!***

R3037 Chick-Not Aerosol Spray, 16-oz. (1¼ lbs.) **1.98**

(B) USE BRECK'S WEED KILLER WITH LITTLE SQUIRT APPLICATOR

- **A Quick Spray — The Weed is Dead!**

Here's positive weed control . . . Breck's Little Squirt Weeder and Weed Killer! Just fill the Little Squirt dispenser with Weed Killer, touch it to the heart of a weed, which will be destroyed forever, roots and all, in a few days! One filling of the 30" shatterproof plastic tube kills 1000 or more weeds.

R2073L Little Squirt Weeder. (Applicator Only) (½ lb.) **1.49**

BRECK'S LAWN WEED KILLER

Amazing, fast-acting formula containing deadly-to-weeds hormones 2,4-D and 2,4,5-T. Harmless to humans, pets, grasses . . . yet it causes weeds to shrivel up and die almost before your eyes!

R2069 8-oz. Breck's Weed Killer. (For use in Little Squirt) (½ lb.) **1.00**
R2070 1 Qt. Breck's Weed Killer. (2½ lbs.) **2.75**
R2071 1-Gal. Breck's Weed Killer. (8½ lbs.) **6.95**

(D) ADJUSTA-BLADE TRIMMER TRIMS GRASS THE EASY WAY!

- **2-in-1 Clipper and Trimmer Combined!**
- **Locks in Any Position — At Any Angle!**
- **Walk-Along Long Handle**
- **Now You Can Stand Up and Shear!**

Handy new, double-duty clipper and edge trimmer lets you clip grass or trim along sidewalks and flower-beds easily — standing up — eliminates tedious, back-breaking bending! Revolutionary new Adjusta-Blade can be swung through a complete 90° arc! Simple wingnut adjustment locks the hollow-ground, hand-honed 6" blades of high carbon cutlery steel in any position desired . . . quickly and positively! Floating blade action reduces friction . . . makes tension adjustment unnecessary, cutting easier and smoother. 3" molded rubber wheels. Easy handle-grip control. Metal with rustproof baked-enamel finish. 37" long. Makes clipping so easy — keeps lawn and garden in tip-top shape!

R2890L Trimmer-Clipper. (3½ lbs.) **6.95**

(E) GAY BLADE LAWN MOWER SHARPENER

For Rotary-Type Mowers

Sharpen your rotary mower in just 30 seconds — without removing blade! Imagine — Now you can keep it sharp all the time with no cost, no effort! Simple downward stroke does the job . . . gives a razor-sharp edge quickly and safely. Saves wear and tear on engine, eliminates stalling, gives you smoother, greener lawns. Pays for itself in time and money saved!

R2769 Gay Blade Mower Sharpener. (¾ lb.) **1.98**

(F) JIFFY LAWN MOWER SHARPENER

For Reel-Type Mowers

Don't pay to have your lawn mower sharpened — do it yourself in minutes with Jiffy! So simple — needs no tools or parts to attach! Gives new life to old mowers — professional results every time! (No straggly grass sprigs from dull mowers!) Fits all reel type mowers 16" and over.

R2772 Jiffy Mower Sharpener. (1¼ lbs.) **2.49**

(G) WALK 'N WEED SPRAY

For Push-Button Weed Control

Rids garden and lawn of strangling, ugly weeds . . . simply and quickly! Lets you spot-weed without stooping . . . jet-stream action pinpoints broadleaf lawn weeds as you walk. Leave visible tracer . . . you can easily see what hasn't been treated! Sprays fine mist, too. 14-oz. kills about 600 weeds.

R3031 Walk'N Weed Spray. (1¼ lbs.) **1.98**

(H) WALK-ALONG WONDER BAR

Kills Weeds Like Magic!

Lightly drag this amazing 2-ft. block of wax over lawn **once** — and it will leave a deadly-to-weeds, driftproof deposit of 2,4-D! No mixing, measuring, extra tools or sprayers! Once over lightly does it to insure a weed-free lawn. Safe and quick-acting, it's harmless to humans and pets. Won't track indoors. One bar treats 20,000 square feet or a lawn that measures 100x200 ft.

R3062 Weedez Wonder Bar. (3 lbs.) **4.98**

(I) BRECK'S GARDEVATOR

- **Turns Soil With Ease!**
- **Repairs Lawns!**

At last! A scientifically designed aerator-cultivator that breaks up hard soil surfaces without making furrows . . . takes back-ache out of preparing seed beds, repairing lawns! 16 cadmium-plated, tool sharp, eight-pointed discs are mounted in solid casting for easy rolling. Helps keep lawn and garden in top condition with minimum effort! 48" hardwood handle.

R2770L Gardevator. (5 lbs.) **5.95**

(J) IDEAL LAWN EDGING

- **Easy to Install!**
- **Lasts For Years!**
- **Safe Even When Mowed Over!**

Full 40-ft. length of rigid, lawn-green vinyl edging — 4-in. high — to keep lawn and garden edges neat! Safe and easy to use . . . edges can't cut you or harm mowers. Cuts to correct size with ordinary shears. Resists acid, alkali, scale, rot and rust.

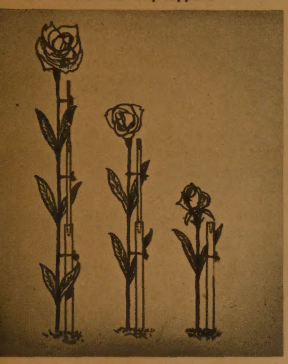
R2611 Ideal Lawn Edging. (3 lbs.) **2.98**

(A) Tomato And Pony Supports

EXPANDABLE "REDWOOD" TRELLIS

(D) Roll of Twist-Ems Plant Ties

(F) Magic Twist Stakes



(B) Extend-A-Stakes

(C) Expandable Redwood Trellis

(E) Benda-Brace Plant Supports

(G) Gard'n Aid Vine Guides

(A) TOMATO & PEONY SUPPORTS

- **Keep Tomatoes From Rotting On The Ground**
- **Guard Bushy Perennials From Storm Damage**

Here's the easy way to keep tomatoes off the ground for cleaner, sun-ripened fruit . . . guard your prized peonies and other bushy perennials from mid-summer storm damage! Two strong wire rings are supported by three lifetime hardwood uprights, 36-in. high. Fold flat for care-free winter storage. They pay for themselves in foliage, fruit and blossoms saved! Easy to assemble . . . simply insert wires through stakes and fasten together.

R2666L Supports. (Wt. per six, 7 lbs.) 6 for **4.89**; 12 for **8.75**

TWIST-EMS . . . HANDY PLANT TIES

- **Just Twist — It's Tied!**
- **Won't Harm Plants!**
- **Safer Than Wire!**
- **Stronger than String!**

Strong, broad, flexible, dark-green tapes with invisible wire reinforcing are so easy to use! A simple twist of your wrist, and plants are tied — quickly and securely! Much better for plants than string or wire . . . they won't damage even the tenderest stems! Inexpensive way to permanently support flowers, vines, annuals, vegetables. Dark green color blends inconspicuously with foliage. They provide needed support without that unsightly "string-tied" effect — especially desirable in attractive flower beds and gardens! Waterproof material retains its appearance and weather-resistance over a long period of time. Available in 8-in. and 16-in. lengths.

R2712 8-in. (Pkg., ¼ lb.) Pkg. of 100, **29¢**; 4 Pkgs., **1.10**
R2713 16-in. (Pkg., ¼ lb.) Pkg. of 100, **57¢**; 2 Pkgs., **1.10**

TRAIN-ETTES, WEATHERIZED NETTING TRELLIS

The ideal support for Morning Glories, Sweet Peas, etc. . . . keeps them upright to reveal the blossoms' full beauty! Perfect for pole beans, cucumbers, tomatoes, too! They're easy to hang and attractive, strong and durable . . . won't rot like string, and tendrils can't burn in sun, as on wire. Inconspicuous green color blends with foliage — makes an almost invisible support. Easy to install. Weatherized to last several seasons — withstands the stormiest weather.

R2695 5x6-ft. Train-ette. (¼ lb.) **75¢**; 3 for **2.20**
R2696 5x8-ft. Train-ette. (¼ lb.) **95¢**; 3 for **2.80**
R2697 5x15-ft. Train-ette. (¼ lb.) **1.35**; 3 for **3.95**

(B) EXTEND-A-STAKE "GROWS" WITH PLANTS

The newest idea in plant support! Does the work of three stakes — saves changing as the plant grows! Extend-A-Stake has three sections . . . each one a complete stake . . . made of hardwood and painted foliage green. Bottom section is 36x¾", center 24x½", top 18x¼". Use separately or assemble them as one strong stake, over 6 ft. long. Each section is drilled to fit into the next section (see illustration). No screws or clamps are necessary. Start with bottom section when plant is small . . . add center and top sections as it grows taller. Perfect for Dahlias, Delphiniums, Lilies, etc.

R2980L Extend-A-Stakes. Set of 5, (3 lbs.) **2.95**
R2981L Extend-A-Stakes. Set of 10, (6 lbs.) **4.95**

(C) EXPANDABLE "REDWOOD" TRELLIS

Handsome redwood-finish trellis "grows" to keep pace with your outdoor climbers . . . shows them off at their best! Folds compactly for convenient storage. Built for rugged weathering with non-rusting, tubular nickel plated rivets and rainproof oil finish. All extend to 8-ft height.

R2860 Trellis, 25-30" Wide. (4½ lbs.) **3.95**
R2859 Trellis, 16-20" Wide. (3 lbs.) **2.95**
R2858 Trellis, 8-11" Wide. (1½ lbs.) **1.95**

(D) TWIST-EMS PLANT TIES IN 250-FT. CONTINUOUS ROLL

- **Big, Handy, Cut-To-Size Roll**
- **Support Plants Safely & Securely!**

The same strong, broad, dark-green tape with invisible wire reinforcing as at left — in a handy, cut-to-size roll! Easily cut to any length to suit your varying garden tying needs! Simple to use — one twist, and plants are quickly and securely tied! Won't harm even the most fragile plants — safer than string or wire. Protects stems and permanently supports annuals, perennials, vines, shrubs and vegetables.

R2714 Twist-Ems, 250-Ft. Roll. (½ lb.) **1.00**; 2 for **1.88**

(E) BENDA-BRACE SUPPORTS

- **Brace Bushy Plants Against Wind, Weather!**
- **Helps Them Retain Their Natural Grace!**

Handy and practically invisible supports keep bushy, top-heavy plants braced against strong winds and beating rain, yet permit them to retain their natural grace. Corrugated 16-in. long bands of green-painted heavy wire are easily shaped . . . come in four heights. Five-in. size keeps Petunias and other edging plants from running untidily over lawns or paths. Reusable for years, Benda Brace makes good gardens better!

		Wt.	Doz.	Wt.	25
R2670L	5-in. High.	3 lbs.	**3.00**;	5 lbs.	**6.00**
R2671L	10-in. High.	3 lbs.	**3.30**;	6 lbs.	**6.60**
R2672L	15-in. High.	4 lbs.	**3.60**;	6 lbs.	**7.20**
R2673L	25-in. High.	7 lbs.	**6.00**;	13 lbs.	**12.00**

(F) MAGIC TWIST PLANT STAKES

You can stake your life on these! Magic Twists hold your plants straight and firm — no tying needed! Just push sturdy wire stakes into the ground to the height you desire, twist — and presto! — your plants stand upright! Painted foliage green, to blend with plants, they're practically invisible — do not protrude above plants. You can use them over and over again! They're life-savers for your precious Delphiniums or top-heavy Lilies! Ideal for window boxes, too. Most effective on plants with one strong, central stem around which stake can fit.

		Wt.	Doz.	Wt.	25	Wt.	100
R2625L	18-in.	1 lb.	**1.35**;	2 lbs.	**2.70**	7 lbs.	**10.50**
R2626L	24-in.	1 lb.	**1.50**;	2 lbs.	**3.00**	9 lbs.	**11.75**
R2627L	36-in.	2 lbs.	**1.85**;	4 lbs.	**3.70**	13 lbs.	**14.50**
R2628L	48-in.	2 lbs.	**2.15**;	5½ lbs.	**4.30**	18 lbs.	**17.00**

(G) GARD'N AID VINE GUIDES

Attach Without Nails To Almost Any Surface!

Now you can have beautifully growing, evenly distributed plants on your garden wall or brick home! Gard'n Aid Vine Guides will not damage surface! Just apply adhesive (included) to flat area of clear plastic discs supplied . . . press disc to brick, concrete, wood or stucco wall, and tie plant with easy-to-use green Twist-Ems Plant Ties provided. Plants can be removed with ease for house painting or repair work. Kit includes 15 discs, 15 ties and adhesive.

R2738 Gard'n Aid Vine Guides Set. (¼ lb.) **1.00**

ADJUSTABLE PLANT SUPPORTS

- **Protect Bushy Plants From Wind And Weather**
- **No "Tied-Up" Look!**
- **Easily Assembled**
- **Ideal For Peonies, Tomatoes!**

The best we've ever seen! These wonderful adjustable hoops support your bushy plants and protect them from strong wind and driving weather without that makeshift "tied-up" look! The 48-in. lifetime hardwood stake holds 2 heavy-gauge wire hoops around plant in any of 5 positions, 5 inches apart. Top hoop is 15 inches in diameter, lower one is 12 inches. You may reverse them if necessary! Easily assembled — the hoops fasten together in a jiffy. Ideal for Peonies, Tomatoes, any climbing or bushy plant! (Wt. per six, 4 lbs.)

R2665L Adjustable Supports. Set of 6, **3.49**; Dozen, **6.25**

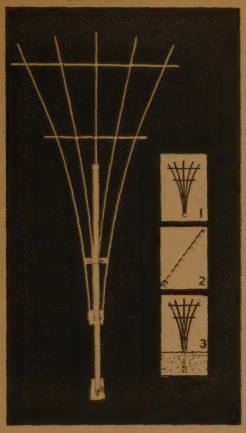
(A) Keep Neet Woven Trellis

(B) Plastic Hibernator

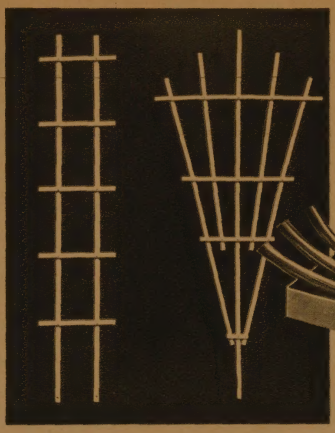
Support For Newly Planted Young Trees!

HANDY . . .
PORTABLE . . .
DO-IT-YOURSELF FENCING!

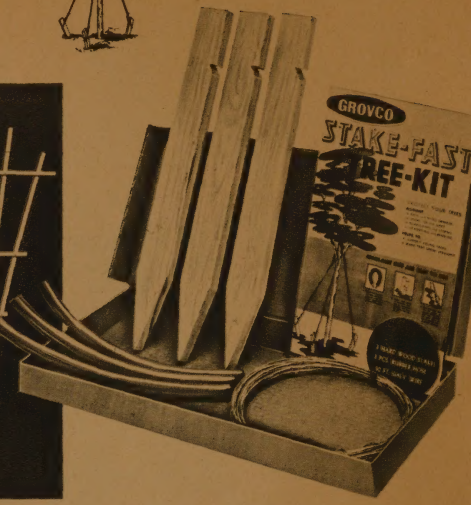
(C) Fence Rods



(D) Aluminum Garden Trellis



(E) Fiberglass Trellises



(F) Stake Fast Tree Kit

(A) KEEP NEET WOVEN STEEL TRELLIS

Now you can create a flattering, beautiful background for the luxurious green of tender vines and sturdy climbers! Intricately woven green-and-white trellis supports and trains your garden favorites . . . keeps them "cool", always protected. Vinyl-coated steel links will not rust, corrode, fade . . . harmonize with all surroundings. Installs without tools. 24″ wide.

R2913 6-Ft. Woven Trellis. (4 lbs.) **4.98**
R2914 8-Ft. Woven Trellis. (5 lbs.) **5.98**

(B) HIBERNATOR WINTER SHRUB COVER

Most evergreen and shrub damage comes in **late winter!** Scientifically-designed hibernator protects bushes, hedges, small trees, young plants from ravaging winter and early spring weather! Heavy polyethylene covering, developed by horticultural experts, **prevents dehydration** from wind, dry cold air . . . eliminates direct sun heat that speeds drying-out process. See-through protector actually reduces plant drying . . . aids in retaining a moist atmosphere and wind-flow through the foliage. Protects from snow and ice accumulation, too. Holes near top of hibernator allow air to circulate. Recommended for broad leaf or needle varieties . . . spire-shaped or ball-shaped trees and shrubs. Takes any plant up to 4 feet high and as big around. Instructions.

R2849 Hibernator. (½ lb.) **1.00** each; 6 for **5.00**

(D) TWIN-USE ALUMINUM GARDEN TRELLIS

- **Supports Climbing Plants**
- **Waters & Feeds Roots**
- **All-Weather Resistant**

Attractive five-element, fan-type trellis (see D1 above) of ⅜″ tubular aluminum construction, mounts 54″ high, 33″ wide. Gives firm, generous support to vines and climbing plants . . . keeps them neat and healthy . . . always "air-cooled". Easily assembled. Won't ever rot, rust or need painting . . . retains its new look even after years of all-weather exposure! Mount it to Root-Feeder Post (D2) . . . (sold separately below) with two U-bolts included.

R2739L Aluminum Trellis Only. (2¼ lbs.) **2.95**

Root-Feeder & Mounting Post (D2). Made of 1¼-in. perforated tubing . . . provides convenient watering and fertilizer feeding system. Use alone or as support for Trellis above (as shown in D3). 44¾″ high. It makes a permanent, non-rusting, non-rotting support that holds the Trellis safely and securely!

R2740L Feeder & Mounting Post. (1¾ lbs.) **1.99**

(E) "FIBERFLEX" FAN OR LADDER FIBERGLASS TRELLISES

- **Won't Rust, Rot, Corrode!**

Sturdy, handsome white trellises constructed of durable fiberglass give permanent support to climbing plants. The smooth white finish aids in keeping plants properly protected . . . never a nail or "chip" to snag tender vines. Best of all, these background supports will never rust, rot or corrode! They're completely care-free . . . even the rivets are *rustproof!* Color is molded clear through, so they never need painting — can be left outdoors in any kind of weather. Miracle fiberglass prevents heat-burn of precious plants — and once the plant is growing, it never has to be moved. Fan-type trellis is 36″ wide, 80″ high; ladder-type trellis is 18″ wide, 80″ high. Easily assembled.

R2716L Fan-Type Trellis. (4½ lbs.) **5.98**
R2717L Ladder-Type Trellis. (5 lbs.) **4.98**

MAKE YOUR OWN FENCES WITH FLEXIBLE FENSTIX!

- ***Bends To Any Shape!***
- **Decorative Garden Border!**

Exciting new concept in garden fencing enables you to create your own designs — for garden borders, edging flower beds and walks! Endless ideas for attractive designs are available to you — and you'll find Fenstix so easy to use! Simply bend the 33″ long, flexible plastic Fenstix to any shape you desire, and insert it into the ground. Set of 12 will run approximately 18 ft. These decorative borders will protect new plants, flower beds, newly seeded lawns . . . as they decorate and brighten your walk or garden. Ideal, too, for discouraging children and animals from invading lawn or just-planted areas. Available in your choice of white or green. Illustration above demonstrates their versatility and attractiveness when shaped as an attractive border and garden protector. Weatherproof.

R2885 White Fenstix. (1 lb.) Set of 12, **98c**
R2886 Green Fenstix. (1 lb.) Set of 12, **98c**

(F) STAKE-FAST TREE KIT

- **Supports Young Trees**
- **Protects Against Storm Damage**

Raging winter storms, rain and wind can do serious damage to tender, young trees. Now you can protect them against these elements — support them properly — help them grow straight, prevent up-rooting, bending with this handy kit! It contains three 15¾″ long "notched" hardwood stakes that won't split when driven into ground; 3 pieces of rubber hose sleeve that prevent wire from damaging tree; 30-ft. coil of "galvanized wire" — more than enough to stake any young tree, big or small. Complete instructions included.

R2824 Stake-Fast Tree Kit. (3½ lbs.) **2.25**

(C) PORTABLE FENCE RODS

These rods are tops as temporary or permanent fences to keep pets and children out of your flower beds and newly seeded lawn! Can also be used as a support to keep bushy plants from sprawling over lawns. 33-in. rods of heavy-gauge, foliage-green wire each have 2 loops. Run wire, string or rope through loops and there's your fence! No unsightly holes in your yard . . . may be taken up or replaced any time needed.

R2631L Fence Rods. (3 lbs.) Pkg. of 12, **2.40**

SOFT JUTE PLANT-TYING TWINE

Soft, yet strong jute twine is ideal for tying plants! Keeps tender shoots braced against wind and weather, yet permits natural growth. Will never cut or damage plant.

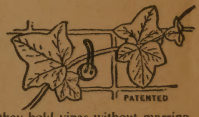
R2707 Green, ½-lb. ball. (½ lb.) **60c**
R2706 Natural, ½-lb. ball. (½ lb.) **50c**

GREEN BAMBOO STAKES

Slim, pliant bamboo plant stakes — stained dark green to look inconspicuous and neat. Smaller sizes are pencil-thin, ideal for potted plants.

R2633L 2-Ft. Stakes. (3 lbs.) Set of 100, **1.95**
R2634L 3-Ft. Stakes. (5 lbs.) Set of 100, **2.25**
R2635L 4-Ft. Stakes. (7 lbs.) Set of 100, **3.95**
R2636X 5-Ft. Stakes. (Ex. Coll. 9 lbs.) Set of 100, **5.25**
R2637X 6-Ft. Stakes. (Ex. Coll. 12 lbs.) Set of 100, **6.50**

VINE GUIDES



Clever little supports hold wayward vines or ivy without being nailed to brick, stucco, cement or wood . . . the secret is cement (included)! These ingenious guides have been used for years, because they hold vines without marring or damaging walls or buildings. Neat, inconspicuous, easy to use. Three colors match all walls. Box of 20.

R2724 White. **R2725** Gray. **R2726** Red. (½ lb.) Box, **1.00**
3 Boxes for **2.85**

FREE TEST SEEDS for early orders (see page 10)

EASY PEST CONTROL FOR ALL GARDENS!

EXCLUSIVE

8.95

SPECIAL BONUS OFFER

1 lb. of **Breck's Rose and Flower Spray-Dust** with ea. Dustmaker at no extra charge! Controls insects and common plant diseases.

BRECK'S DUSTMAKER

A compact, lightweight, rotary-type duster that gives top efficiency and economy. One turn of the handle will throw a cloud of finely divided dust as far as 8 feet, covering your plants with an almost invisible film of protection. Breck's Dustmaker is lightweight, too . . . weighs as little as 1¾ lbs. . . . yet it is so efficient that you can dust a good-sized garden with one filling. Constructed of metal alloys that are rustproof, with precision-cut gears that work quietly and easily. Adjustable nozzle directs dust in any desired direction.

R2183 Dustmaker & 1 lb. Rose-Flower Spray-Dust. (3½ lbs.) **8.95**

18" PLASTIC EXTENSION

R2185 Plastic Extension, 18" long. (¼ lb.) **49¢**

BRECK'S MANY PURPOSE SPRAY

A scientific combination that comes very close to being the one universal spray material! Based on a University of Massachusetts formula, it controls more insects and diseases than any other spray. **Captan, malathion and methoxyclor,** blended together in this easy-to-use spray, control Jap beetle, curculio, many fruit maggots, worms, aphids, brown rot, scab, etc. Directions and spray chart are on the label.

R2039 ½ lb. (½ lb.) **1.19**
R2040 1 lb. (1 lb.) **1.98**
R2041 3 lbs. (3 lbs.) **4.95**

"Early this Spring, I purchased from your company one can of Breck's Many Purpose Spray . . . This spray has worked wonders . . . Soon friends and neighbors began asking me to spray for them . . . now they have asked me to order this spray for them." *W.R.M., Penna.*

SAVE ON COMBINATION OFFER **3.69**

Breck's Spray & Sprayer

Save money, save work and have a pest-free garden this year! Here's what you get:

1 lb. famous **Many Purpose Spray,** PLUS **Hose Sprayer,** either **Garden** or **Tree** model. (see page 59 for description)

R2179 Spray & Garden Sprayer. (1½ lbs.) **3.69**
R2181 Spray & Tree Sprayer. (1½ lbs.) **3.69**

ALUMINUM SPRAY MASK

Inexpensive Way To Protect Your Health!

For your health's sake, wear a mask when you spray or plan to work in a dusty area! Filtering out dust can prevent many troubles, helps control allergies, too! Of flexible aluminum . . . fits facial contours. Adjustable headband holds it in place. Frequent changing of sterilized filters adds to its effectiveness.

R2553 Spray Mask. (¼ lb.) **65¢**
R2554 Set of 25 Extra Filters. (¼ lb.) **75¢**

Super-Comfortable

BANTAM SPRAY MASK

Breathe in comfort while you spray! Super-comfortable Bantam Mask of flexible, lightweight, washable polyethylene shapes to your face . . . screens out irritating dusts and pollens. Adjustable headband. Bantam is the mask to use when a mask must be worn for any considerable length of time. This comfort feature is appreciated by all who work with sprays or dusts, or who must be exposed to a dusty atmosphere!

R2563 Mask & 2 Filters. (¼ lb.) **1.98**
R2564 Box of 2 Extra Filters. (¼ lb.) **49¢**

BRECK'S ROSE & FLOWER SPRAY-DUST

Breck's Spray-Dust is made up of modern chemicals to control all common rose and flower diseases and pests. Stomach poisons kill chewing insects. Fermate and sulphur control common diseases as mildew, etc. Add water to use as spray, or dust directly from can. Remember that prevention is better than cure! Start your control program early and continue regularly.

R2044 1-lb. Dust. (1 lb.) **1.25**
R2045 4-lbs. Dust. (4 lbs.) **3.50**

CHLORDANE 50-W

Use as a spray to control Japanese beetles, grubs, ants, white grubs and most soil insects. Use at any time when ground isn't frozen. 1 lb. protects 2000 sq. ft. for years! Chlordane is an excellent "area spray" to control flies and mosquitoes around patios and picnic areas. Always use it before cook-outs or garden festivities.

R2007 Chlordane 50-W, ½-lb. (½ lb.) **1.25**
R2008 Chlordane 50-W, 1-lb. (1 lb.) **2.25**
R2009 Chlordane 50-W, 4-lbs. (4 lbs.) **6.50**

JAP BEETLE SPRAY-DUST

Regular spraying or dusting gives complete control for Japanese beetles and other chewing insects (gypsy moth, tent caterpillars, etc.). A special blend of high toxic chemicals for use on flowers, vegetables, ornamentals, roses and shade trees. Mix with water or use as dry dust. Easy-to-follow instructions. Best control yet for Gladiolus thrips!

R2028 ½-lb. Squeeze Can. (½ lb.) **98¢**
R2029 Jap Spray Dust, 1-lb. (1 lb.) **1.59**

BRECK'S VEGETABLE SPRAY-DUST

A scientifically formulated spray and dust combination for controlling bean beetles and common insects and diseases on vegetables. Apply as a dust or as a wettable spray. Complete with instructions.

R2049 ½-lb. Squeeze Can. (½ lb.) **65¢**
R2050 Veg. Spray-Dust, 1 lb. (1 lb.) **79¢**
R2051 Veg. Spray-Dust, 4 lbs. (4 lbs.) **2.25**

NEW

BEETLE-NOT SPRAY-BOMB

Contains Sevin

Save plants and bushes from harmful Japanese beetles! Beetle-Not contains the amazing new insecticide "Sevin" for fast kill of beetles, plus "residual action" — excellent control up to 7 days. Ideal, too, for thrips, mites, aphids. Also contains "Phaltan" for Black Spot and Powdery Mildew control. Aerosol spray.

R3034 Beetle-Not Spray, 16-oz. (1¼ lbs.) **1.98**

TREE TANGLEFOOT

- **Stops Crawling Pests!**
- **Convenient, Handy, Spray-Bomb!**
- **No More Sticky Brushes or Paddles!**

Now — pushbutton control of crawling pests! No more sticky brushes or paddles! Tanglefoot aerosol sprays a weatherproof barrier around trees, etc. . . . stops crawling insects any time! 12-oz. aerosol can.

R3109 Tanglefoot. (1 lb.) **2.25**

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The First "Non-Arsenic" Weed Killer For Patios, Driveways, Sidewalks

- **Kills Unwanted Vegetation!**
- **Kills Weeds, Grass, On Contact!**
- **Prevents Regrowth for Prolonged Period!**
- **Ready-To-Spray Aerosol Can!**
- **Touch-Up Control On Driveways, Sidewalks, Patios!**

No-Gro — the first vegetation killer especially developed for touch-up control of patios, driveways, and sidewalks! No-Gro is non-selective and easiest to use, too — comes ready to spray in an aerosol can. Just press the button — presto! — it kills weeds and grass on contact, prevents regrowth for prolonged periods! There's no mixing, no contamination of utensils. Since NO-GRO kills **all** vegetation, it must **never be used on lawns** or close to desirable plants! Aerosol spray can.

R3137 No-Gro, 16-oz. (1¼ lbs.) **1.89**

ROSE AND FLOWER SPRAY-BOMB

Instant Push-Button Protection!

Be proud to show people your garden with its beautiful, unmarked foliage and flowers! Keep it that way easily by using Breck's marvelous Rose & Flower Bomb! So neat and simple to use! Push-button convenience and utensils. Since No-Gro kills **all** vegmist . . . gives garden complete protection from insects and diseases! Handy for early-morning spot protection of newly opened blossoms.

R2078 16-oz. Rose, Flower Bomb. (1¼ lbs.) **1.59**

HORNET & EARWIG JET BOMB

- **Safe-To-Use Jet Bomb!**
- **Effective Two Months!**
- **Two-Way Action — Sprays Near, Far!**

Has new 2-way action nozzle! Deadly 12 ft. spray reaches to nests and eaves; fine mist does short-range surface-spraying. Remains effective for weeks . . . kills all common pests! Completely safe.

R3030 14-oz. Hornet-Earwig Bomb. (1¼ lbs.) **1.98**

KILL JAP BEETLES!

Safe — Effective!

Most effective and widely used trap on the market! Well constructed, it lasts for years. Lures beetles in from any direction — often catching up to a quart per day per trap! Place traps in full sun in infested areas by June 20th. Rust-resistant metal with green and yellow enamel finish. Perforated cage (available separately) holds beetles until emptied — perforations prevent filling up with rain water.

R2507 Jap Beetle Trap. (½ lb.) **1.65**
R2508 Jap Beetle Cage. (½ lb.) **80¢**
R2510 Jap Beetle Bait, 4-oz. (½ lb.) **65¢**

Imported Two-Way

FLIP-OR-PUMP DUSTER

- **Lightweight**
- **Easy To Use!**

Amazing one-hand wonder — an ingeniously easy, French-invented way to dust your lawn or garden to protect it effectively from insects and diseases — without the fatigue of lifting a heavy duster! So simple! For area coverage, just fill it with your favorite insecticide dust (holds up to 1 lb.), point at roses, lawn, plants, etc. — flip it! For direct spot application to an individual plant, or part of a plant, just pump it as you would with any conventional pump-type duster. Easy-to-grip handle.

R2799 Flip Duster. (1 lb.) **2.98**

SNAKE-STOP

Repels And Kills Snakes!

Keep snakes away from your garden, house, lawns, shrubbery or camp-site! Just sprinkle Snake-Stop to repel them . . . kill reptiles on contact, too! Snakes find it offensive, causing fear reaction. 1 lb. can treats 420 sq. ft. . . . 1 application lasts approximately one month. Harmless to children and pets. Easy-to-use shaker top can.

R3108 Snake-Stop. (1 lb) **2.75**

ROOST-NO-MORE BIRD REPELLENT

Stops Pigeons From Parking!

Pesky birds, starlings, pigeons, etc., fly away and stay away when you apply Roost-No-More to window sills, ledges, cornices or other parking spots! A ½" ribbon of this sticky gelatin compound discourages them for a year or more. Harmless to birds, easy-to-use, odorless spray clings to metal, stone, other building material. 14-oz. aerosol.

R3053 Roost-No-More. (1¼ lb.) **2.50**

AMCHEM IVY BOMB

- **Kills Poison Ivy!**
- **Kills Poison Oak!**

Now you can spot-kill poison ivy and poison oak from a safe distance! Handy new pushbutton nozzle shoots a long-range spray 8 ft. long! Permanent . . . destroys roots and all! Controls unwanted grass, milkweed, other weeds, too. Contains Amino-Triazole (Amitrol). Allow about 14 days for complete kill. Can be used effectively at any time when plants are growing. Won't sterilize soil; nonpoisonous to humans and pets.

R3033 16-oz. Bomb. (1¼ lb.) **1.95**

MOLOGEN KILLS MOLES

Protects Your Lawn!

Eliminates destructive moles in lawns and gardens — kills them in their holes. Complete, easy-to-follow directions. Safe, easy to use. Harmless to humans, birds, other animals and plants.

R3074 (½ lb.) (½ lb.) **75¢**
R3075 (1½ lbs.) (1½ lbs.) **1.50**

FUMI-SOIL CAPSULES

Just Bury A Capsule!

Easiest way to protect plant roots! One capsule automatically releases enough **Ethylene Dibromide** to fumigate 1½ sq. ft., destroying all underground pests, such as nematodes, wire worms, ants, grubs and many larvae. It's so easy to use . . . you simply drop a capsule into hole and cover it with soil.

R3027 24 Fumi-Soil Capsules. (¼ lb.) **1.45**
R3028 100 Fumi-Soil Capsules. (½ lb.) **3.95**

FLYING DISKS GUARD FRUIT FROM BIRDS!

Watchdog for your garden or orchard — amazing protection for newly planted seeds, berries, tender seedlings, fruit trees, etc.! The slightest breeze makes these harmless Flying Disks of shining aluminum foil spin madly in all directions, reflecting light and making weird crackling sounds to scare birds and animals away. Easily strung in garden or on trees. Set of 50.

R2503 Flying Disks. (½ lb.) Set, **1.85**

KEEP RABBITS AND DEER OUT OF YOUR GARDEN!

Z.I.P. Provides Safe Protection!

Effective, long-lasting repellent prevents feeding damage by deer and rabbits! Vegetation coated with Z.I.P. is distasteful to them, but not harmful! Use it on nursery stock, tree seedlings, ornamentals, orchard trees, bush fruits during dormant or growing season. (Do not use on leafy vegetables or greens.) Mix with water, then spray or paint on. Highly resistant to rainfall.

R3106 Z.I.P., 1-qt. (2½ lbs.) **3.95**
R3105 Z.I.P., 1-pt. (1½ lbs.) **2.50**

BARCO SPRAYER

Sprays Low Plants Or Tall Trees

This lightweight wonder performs a number of various spraying jobs both inside and outside the home! Easy pumping action throws a stream up to 30 feet long . . . or a fine, fog-like mist for delicate seedlings. All metal, precision made, it's rust and corrosion proof. Hose incl. Use with insecticides, whitewash, soluble paints, etc., too.

R2837L Garden Sprayer. (2½ lbs.) **7.95**
R2838L Jr. Sprayer (with 2-qt. Jar). (4 lbs.) **7.95**

NEW! PINOKIO GARDEN HOSE SPRAYER

- **Lightweight! Easy To Use!**
- **No Breakable Jars, No Stirring!**
- **Mixes Concentrates & Water!**

So clean to handle and adjust — without splattering, drip, drizzle — that you can use it without changing clothes! So lightweight and easy to carry, it's ideal for women — no need to lug a heavy tank! Gives a close-in fog spray or long-distance jet spray . . . ideal for applying liquid insecticides, fertilizers, chemicals to foliage, bushes, delicate flowers or hedges. Extra-long nozzle extension made of extruded aluminum easily reaches overhead foliage or beneath bushes; won't rust or corrode. Unbreakable plastic jar **automatically** mixes concentrated solution with amount of water desired. Leakproof shut-off; aluminum and bronze nozzle and fittings. Precision-engineered for correct mixing — lasts a lifetime!

R2722L Pinokio Garden Hose Sprayer. (2 lbs.) **9.95**

NON-CLOG HOSE SPRAYER . . .

One-Finger Application Control

The safe, easy way to apply your favorite pesticides, weed killers and liquid fertilizers to lawn or garden. Lightweight, unbreakable plastic jars attach to any hose. Use with liquids or powders.

R2178 For Gardens. Sprays a 4-ft. wide mist that covers plants safely and accurately. 5-gallon capacity. (½ lb.) **1.98**

R2180 For Lawns or Trees. Quick-drenching, 8-ft. wide spray. Covers area, feeds or protects from insects and diseases in minutes. 15-gallon capacity. (½ lb.) **1.98**

BRECK'S SPRAYMAKER, JR.

- **Compact!**
- **Lightweight!**
- **Easy to Fill!**

So lightweight, even the ladies find this 2-gallon, compressed-air sprayer readily portable! Oval shape makes it easy to carry. Open-end handle fits hand comfortable, can't come off and be lost . . . it's part of plunger rod. Wide funnel for easy filling, cleaning. 10x6½-in. tank is of galvanized steel, finished in cream enamel. Easy-action pump has Buna-N check valve, safety pressure release. Comes with 36-in. red plastic spray hose, and 12-in. brass extension. Adjustable nozzle sprays a fine 3-ft. mist to a 15-ft. stream for high shrubs and trees. Pistol-grip release and shut-off keeps arm in natural, comfortable position.

R2170L 2-Gallon Spraymaker, Jr. (7 lbs.) **9.95**

All Of Breck's

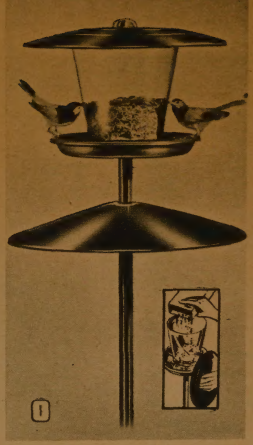
Bird Supplies Are Now

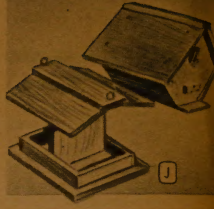
Audubon Society Approved!

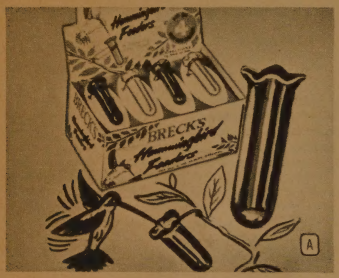
BRECK'S

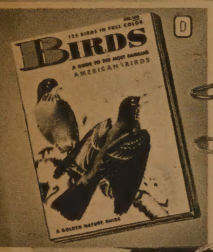
Officially Approved by MASSACHUSETTS AUDUBON SOCIETY

You can be assured that all Breck's bird supplies are the finest ever made — recently tested and highly approved by the well-known Audubon Society of Massachusetts! Breck's healthful, well-balanced bird seed formulas are most widely acceptable for all birds, perfected to attract more varieties of wild life to your feeders. The grateful birds will thank you!









6 Individual Feeding Perches!

(A) ATTRACT HUMMINGBIRDS!

Lure 'em with these hand-blown glass feeders, a-brimming with tempting syrup . . . they'll flock to your garden and stay there! So easy to fill with sugar-sweetened water, hang on plant stems by bronze spring clips. Then — sit back and watch the wee birds come winging in! Set of 4 feeders in assorted jewel-tone colors with clips, plus instructions for easy mixing of nectar.

R2208 Humming Bird Feeders. (½ lb.) Set of 4, **1.50**

(B) HANGING DINER

You'll have a picnic when you suspend this fascinating "picnic ground" from post, tree or window frame. It's a 16" long feeder of brown-stained wood with holes on all sides. Two sides have perches, two are plain for clingers. Comes crammed with delicious Seed-Suet and Peanut Food Cups. 12 extra refills are included.

R2206 Hanging Diner. (3 lbs.) **2.69**

(C) WILD BIRD FOOD CUPS

A special blend of seeds, suet, pressed peanut hearts and berries that is irresistible to birds! Molded in easy-to-handle paper cups . . . easily inserted in **Breck's Hanging Diner** and other feeders. Keep plenty on hand so you don't run out!

R2217 Food Cups. (1½ lbs.) Box of 24, **1.49**

(D) 150-PAGE JIFFY BIRD GUIDE

Want to know what bird that was? Pocket-size book illustrates in color 112 of the most common birds in the U.S. One bird per page, pictured in its natural habitat, with description and locale marked on map. Data on nests, eggs, etc. included.

R1904 Jiffy Bird Guide. (½ lb.) **1.00**

Breck's Country Life "MOOSE HILL" WILD BIRD FOOD

Our own famous mixture — for years the choice of experts — is now the officially approved "Moose Hill" mixture of the Massachusetts Audubon Society. Mixed to strictest specifications, it contains nothing but the choicest recleaned ingredients and, because it contains no "filler" seeds, it will be eaten to the last seed! (All seeds are not eaten by birds that normally inhabit your garden.) Years of testing have shown us which seeds are most desirable. Sunflower and Peanut Hearts are included in extra generous quantities. Millets and other proven favorites make up the balance of this famous mixture. Use Country Life in your feeders and watch the difference! More birds will use them — and there will be no wasted seed.

R2225 Wild Bird Food, 5 lbs. (Sh. Wt. 5 lbs.) **1.00**
R2226 Wild Bird Food, 10 lbs. (Sh. Wt. 10 lbs.) **1.90**
R2227 Wild Bird Food, 25 lbs. (Sh. Wt. 25 lbs.) **4.70**

FREE AUDUBON MEMBERSHIP

Every 25-lb. bag of Breck's Country Life Wild Bird Food carries an application for **FREE** six months' membership in the Massachusetts Audubon Society. Just purchase a 25-lb. bag, send in the application as directed, and become a member of this famous old Audubon Society . . . one of the best-known, most active in the entire country.

(E) BIRDINER FEEDING STATION

This unique wild bird feeder was specially designed by an outstanding authority after years of observing feeding habits! Colorful, weather-resisting, heavy plastic Birdiner has six individual feeding and perching stations — each accommodating only one bird at a time! "Personal" perches prevent crowding and fighting. Completely sanitary — birds don't stand in the seed; droppings always fall to the ground. See-through plastic reservoir stands 16½" high, holds two generous pints of seed — prevents needless waste! Big 10½" canopy protects seed and perches from rain or snow. Free-flowing seed cups. Convenient top hole for hanging.

R3625L Birdiner. (2 lbs.) **3.95**

(F) COUNTRY LIFE HANGING FEEDER

Automatic bird feeder cares for hungry songsters through wintry cold! New twist-top design in foliage-green plastic for easy refilling. Crystal-clear plastic reservoir releases over 2½ lbs. of food into tray as needed — automatically! Hang anywhere — from tree limb, bracket, etc. 12" canopy wards off rain; drain holes in tray keep food fresh.

R2201L Hanging Bird Feeder. (2 lbs.) **3.95**

(G) DO-IT-YOURSELF WREN HOUSE

So simple, a child can put it together! Attractive little home for wrens — or other small feathered-friends — is ready to assemble in a jiffy — no tools or nails needed! So inexpensive, too! Made of lifetime natural California redwood — never needs painting! Wonderful gift idea for all bird lovers. Ideal for children . . . stimulates interest in nature! A natural for wrens — the size they prefer (8½x5½x5½"). Small opening keeps larger birds out.

R3616 Wren House. (1 lb.) **1.79**

(H) AUDUBON BIRD CALLER

Tiny, handmade Bird Caller irresistibly lures wild songbirds to you! It's simple to use, too! With a twist of your fingers, you can learn to imitate call of any bird — see them wing in to answer your chirpings! Educational, fun for all ages! Used in Europe for centuries! Instructions included.

R3629 Audubon Bird Caller. (¼ lb.) **1.50**

(I) 6-FT. STEEL POST FEEDER

This is the post feeder you have been asking for! It's simple, decorative . . . easy to set up and easy to refill! And it lasts for years! Exclusive twist-top design allows removal of the 12 in. top with a simple quarter turn, exposing the wide-mouth, crystal-clear plastic reservoir for filling. Feeds over 2½ lbs. of seed automatically into scientifically drained tray that keeps food fresh and appetizing. A couple of turns remove the entire feeder from post . . . allowing indoor refilling during stormy weather. Sturdy, 6-ft. green-painted, sectional metal post is drilled to hold squirrel baffle (extra). Canopy top and feeding tray are foliage-green plastic.

R2207L 6-Ft. Post Feeder. (4 lbs.) **4.95**

SQUIRREL BAFFLE FOR FEEDER

Green-enameled steel baffle solves the problem of squirrels and cats climbing the feeder post . . . is guaranteed not to frighten or disturb the birds. 14-in. in diameter, it's easy to install. (Illustrated with steel post feeder above.)

R2210 Squirrel Baffle. (1 lb.) **1.98**

(J) BIRD HOUSE & FEEDER KITS

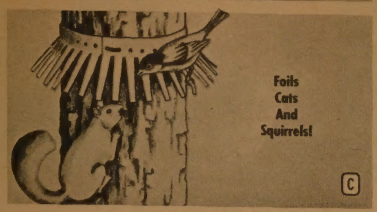
Creative, **do-it-yourself** enjoyment for bird-lovers of all ages — educational fun for youngsters! Here are a ready-to-assemble, inexpensive bird house and bird feeder that Junior can assemble easily — all by himself — in a jiffy! Kits contain cut-to-fit wood parts, nails, screweye for hanging, instructions.

R3623 Bird Feeder Kit. (½ lb.) **1.00**
R3621 Bird House Kit. (½ lb.) **1.00**

(K) "INSTANT" HANGING WREN HOUSE

This is the **thriftiest** do-it-yourself wren home ever offered — and it's yours for practically a song! Child-simple to assemble — takes only seconds, without using tools or nails — and it's ready to hang! Designed just-the-right size for wrens — or other small feathered-friends — with small opening to keep larger birds out. Educational and creative fun for bird lovers of all ages! Made of sturdy brown hardboard, 6x5½x7" long; complete with pegs and perch.

R3618 "Instant" Wren House. (1 lb.) **1.00**



(A) FLOWER GARDEN BIRD BATHS

Lure "feathered friends" to your garden with these portable, unbreakable all-metal bird baths! Bowl has two levels, to accommodate both large and small birds. Ingenious coarse green finish prevents birds from slipping, keeps rust from forming. 2" deep bowl snaps onto stake or tripod base.

R2515L Flowerbed Model. Has green ornamental iron stake, 28" high, that inserts into ground. 16" bowl. (4 lbs.) **3.95**

R2516L Lawn Model. 20½" diam. bowl on 3 supporting tubular steel legs with decorative scroll. 31" high. (7 lbs.) **5.95**

(B) VU-A-NEST WREN HOUSE

Watch Their "Indoor" Activities!

Exciting new "peek-a-boo" wren house **attaches to any outside window glass** — exclusive one-way mirror gives you a bird's-eye view of interior without birds seeing you! You can actually watch building of nest, hatching eggs, feeding of nestling, first flight of young — **from inside your own living room!** Rectangular opening (instead of usual circle) allows wrens greater ease of entry with twigs — elimination of perch keeps predatory birds away! Polystyrene construction provides excellent insulating qualities — protects birds from heat. Completely water, mildew and fungus-proof — specially designed interior insures quick, positive drainage of rain water. Guaranteed to remain attached until removed by you! Instructions included. Size 7x5¾x5".

R3642 Vu-A-Nest Wren House. (½ lb.) **2.98**

(C) BIRD AND TREE SAVER

Ingenious tree guard of flexible steel foils cats and squirrels — protects both birds and trees! Three rust-proof sections fit any tree up to 24" around, yet allow tree to grow. Prongs keep marauders from passing. Instructions included.

R3633 Bird & Tree Guard. (½ lb.) **98¢**

(D) MARTIN'S COMMUNITY HOUSE

You couldn't ask for finer neighbors than the friendly Martins, and they couldn't ask for better living quarters! These home-loving, colony-living members of the swallow family are sure to be attracted to our one-story, 6-compartment (18x19x8") or two-story, 12-compartment (18x19x16"), green and white all-aluminum homes! Guard rails and perches protect young; hinged front doors make cleaning easy. Designed by a nationally known naturalist, Martin Houses come in easy-to-assemble kits. You'll have hours of entertainment watching these black-winged purple beauties in their comings and goings, seeing them bring up their young! Free booklet to help you attract more birds is included.

R3535L 1-Story Martin House. (9 lbs.) **19.95**
R3536L 2-Story Martin House. (12 lbs.) **24.95**

(E) WINDOWSILL FLIGHT DECK

- **Pool, Feeder & Playground!**
- **Year-'Round Attraction!**

All hands on deck! Thrill to the beauty and vivid color of wild birds of every description as they come in for a landing — they can't resist the pool, playground and excellent cuisine on this big, 17x15" Flight Deck! You'll feed these fine feathered beauties, discover and identify new species, watch their daily habits, even take color photographs of them as they pause, rest on the perch rails or bathe in the cool, refreshing water. This handsome, sturdily constructed deck is made of weather-proof green duralon trimmed in white — with four generous seed wells, water pool, hardwood perch rails and convenient feeding sticks. Deck clips on and off your windowsill in a jiffy — without so much as a tool! Just raise your window — attach — fill with food and sit back as wild birds flock to this restful retreat! A truly delightful gift for all bird lovers — a cherished possession for shut-ins. Fascinating and instructive for children of all ages, because they can observe the habits of their feathered friends in indoor comfort!

R3631 Flight Deck Feeder. (3 lbs.) **6.95**

(F) REDWOOD HANGING FEEDERS

Birds will flock to this sturdily constructed, rustic hanging feeder — they'll love its spaciousness and protection! It's made of kiln-dried, natural California Redwood with an exclusive milling procedure that eliminates warping and checking. The spacious clear glass enclosure keeps contents dry — lets you keep tabs on dwindling supply. Protective, overhanging roof makes filling easy — just lift it — nothing to unscrew! Big seed reservoir holds 5 lbs. and 2½ lbs. respectively. Lifetime finish never needs paint!

R3638L Redwood Feeder, 5-lb. capacity. (4 lbs.) **4.98**
R3639L Redwood Feeder, 2½-lb. cap. (2½ lbs.) **3.35**

(G) DELUXE ESTATE BIRD FEEDER

Without a doubt, this is the finest bird feeder ever made! Designed in simple, yet functional lines, it's easy to set up and fill, fully weather proof — and it lasts a lifetime! Handsome green finish harmonizes with any landscape scene. Super-large, transparent plexiglass feed bowl actually **holds about 8 lbs. of wild bird feed** (3 times more than any other feeder!) — keeps food fresh and appetizing — ends nuisance of frequent refilling! Exclusive twist-top design allows removal of the canopy top with a half-turn, exposing the wide-mouth reservoir for quick filling. Sturdy, 6-ft., 3" diam. sectional pole . . . of anodized aluminum with enamel finish in turf green . . . discourages rats, squirrels, cats! Will never break, fall apart, rot, corrode or rust!

R4146 Deluxe Estate Bird Feeder. (11 lbs.) **37.50**

A HOUSE ESPECIALLY FOR SWALLOWS!

New-design bird house is a natural for attracting swallows — it's the size they prefer (9x5x7½"), and small opening keeps larger birds out. The gable roof is of brightly embossed aluminum with colorful green sidewalls and panels. Scientific design makes it cooler than wood — aluminum reflects the sun's heat! Designed with sturdy perch below entrance, swivel brackets for wall or tree mounting. May also be post-mounted. Wonderful gift-idea for bird lovers of all ages — stimulates interest in the wonders of nature!

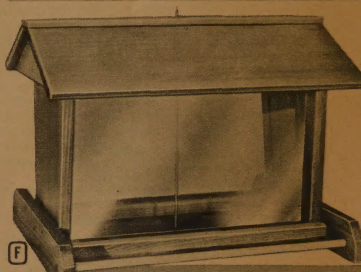
R3640 Swallow House. (1¾ lbs.) **2.39**

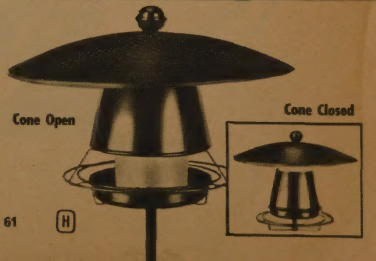
(H) ANIMATED "SELECTIVE" 6-FOOT POST BIRD FEEDER

- **"Open House" To Small Birds Only!**
- **"Off Limits" To Large Birds, Squirrels!**
- **Adjustable Spring Does The Trick — Lets You Select The Birds!**

Troubled and annoyed by aggressive grackles, pigeons and squirrels that rob your feeder of food meant for timid small birds? This brand-new animated bird feeder solves your problem — lets **you** select the birds that you wish to feed! The solution is quite simple — an adjustable spring automatically drops down the metal cone around the hopper, closing the feeding tray whenever large or heavy birds perch on the rim! The plastic hopper holds a generous 2½ lbs. of seed; to refill, simply remove the canopy. The 6-foot high sectional steel post keeps squirrels and cats away . . . and the 14¾" diameter metal canopy protects seed (and birds) from rain or snow. Designed with an easy-grip metal perching rim. Fully weatherproof for long life!

R3627L Animated 6-Ft. Post Feeder. (6 lbs.) **8.95**





(A) ILLUMINATED TABLE FOUNTAIN

This decorative and fascinating delight brings to your home all the enchanting beauty of a cool, ever-murmuring fountain! A lovely showpiece . . . completely portable, with self-contained, re-circulating water supply . . . it gives your table the most dramatic centerpiece imaginable, adds a romantic touch to living room or patio! The soft loveliness of its gentle spray is beautifully illuminated by a concealed light that glows softly through the translucent bowl . . . making the spray sparkle like diamonds, and giving flower arrangements a beauty that's positively breathtaking! Generous 16-in. diameter bowl of onyx-gray high impact plastic is 4½-in. high overall. Easily-replaced bulb is included, plus 6-ft. cord with convenient on-off switch. AC; 110V.

R2602L Illuminated Fountain. (4 lbs.) **9.95**

ADAPTO EASY FLOWER ARRANGER

Now you can arrange long stemmed prized blooms in any vase — with the same talent and efficiency as experts! Open-mesh arranger holds each flower upright in graceful position — exactly as you placed it. Adjustable arms suspend over any tall vase from 3" to 6" wide at the mouth. Support never shows — may be lifted intact for changing water. Rustproof, foliage-green plastic.

R2872 Arranger. (¼ lb.) **1.00**

(B) BAMBOO WIND CHIMES

The exotic mood of the islands, tropical winds, moonlight and ocean breezes seem to echo in the music of these Oriental chimes! The ancient Japanese discovered the secret of capturing the sounds of the four winds with these — now you can enjoy their sweet enchantment. Let them spin in the center of a summer room, dangle in a doorway, dance majestically on a patio, enhance lawn party festivities — or hang them on a tree, under the eaves, and let a gentle breeze bring you their soft, melodious song! 10 hollow bamboo chimes hang from a bamboo rod on silken cords. Use several to set the mood — lend the mysterious enchantment of far-away lands! 26" long overall.

R8997 Bamboo Wind Chimes. (½ lb.) **1.69**

(C) GRACEFUL BUD VASE

Exquisite hand-etched container is the ultimate in flower flattering elegance — a truly feminine appointment to caress and set off a single blushing rose, a nosegay of fragrant lily-of-the-valley or sunny daffodils! Delicately shaped of crystal-clear glass, it's a petite 6" high, with delicate twining-leaf etched design and non-tip pedestal base. Charming way to impart a gay breath of spring to any room in home.

R5653 Bud Vase. (½ lb.) Set of 2. **1.00**

(D) WINDOWSILL PLANT TRAYS

Handsomely-designed trays molded of woodgrain-pattern polystyrene eliminate those unsightly odds-'n-ends saucers beneath your plants . . . attractively display an array of your favorite "blooming beauties" all-in-a-row on mantel, windowsill or bookcase . . . prevent damage to surface beneath, due to leaking or overwatering! Easy to wipe clean. Raised rim.

R2568 Wide Windowsill Tray, 21½x5½". (½ lb.) **89¢**
R2569 Narrow Windowsill Tray, 15x4½". (¼ lb.) **69¢**

FLOWER FLOATERS

Ingenious, dramatic way to display your most beauteous blossoms! Stemless flowers float majestically atop these tiny rafts in any bowl . . . waft a delightful freshness 'n fragrance for days! Four green cork disks (two 2½" and two 1¼" diam.) won't tip or sink! An enchanting party decoration!

R2861 Set of 4. (¼ lb.) **59¢**

(H) GARDEN WIND BELL

Melody in motion! Authentic import "snatched" from a Hindu temple tinkles the most enchanting serenade as the slightest breeze sways the butterfly clapper! Hang it from your porch, patio, breezeway or from the limb of a tree . . . and delight all with its bewitching, other-worldly melodies! Bell is hand-made of highly polished solid brass, and comes complete with a sturdy brass chain, attachments, plus fascinating Far East legend. 20" long overall. Use several to set the mood for a party or catch the song of the winds!

R8816 Garden Wind Bell. (1 lb.) **2.98**

VERSATILE FLOWER ARRANGER

Now you can design quick and easy artistic arrangements of flowers in **any type container** — vases, cups, bowls, etc.! Seven tubes (½" diam.) take single blossoms or dramatic clusters; 15 smaller holes hold miniature flowers or greens. Foliage-green polystyrene, 7¾" high.

R2866 Flower Arranger. (½ lb.) **1.29**

(I) FLORAL SWAN RING SET

Charming 3-pc. ensemble makes a delightful, eyecatching centerpiece . . . prettily displaying short-stemmed posies, ivy or philodendron! Two graceful 3½" swans of white glazed ceramic . . . plus matching, shallow 5" diam. ring. A treasure for mantel or coffee table, too!

R5418 3-Pc. Swan Set. (½ lb.) **89¢**

(J) FIGURINE ELEC. TABLE FOUNTAIN

Inspired by gracious, sculpture-adorned garden fountains in Europe, this elegant statuette fountain captures their old-world charm . . . a stunning, center-of-attraction showpiece for table or buffet! Comely, classic "Girl With A Water Jug", deftly shaped of golden plastic, serenely pours a shimmering stream of water into magnificent shell-shaped bowl that looks like fine marble — but is really gold-and-white onyx plastic! Bowl is a dramatic 16x20x4½" deep; overall height is 17". Self-contained, recirculating water system. 115V; AC; 6-ft. cord with convenient on-off switch.

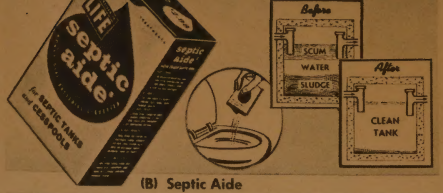
R2601L Figurine Table Fountain. (6 lbs.) **14.95**

(K) NIAGARA THREE-TIER WATERFALL

Enjoy the enchanting sound of sparkling water as it cascades from tier to tier . . . creating a mood of tropical enchantment right in your own living room or patio! Completely portable — no plumbing needed. Plug in . . . an electric pump recirculates the same water over and over! Two 12" trays and one 17" diam. tray look like gold-flecked white marble — are actually durable, easy-clean plastic! 18" high. Glamorous highlight when arranged with foliage and real or artificial flowers.

R2622L 3-Tier Electric Fountain. (5 lbs.) **16.95**

(A) Roof De-Icer Kit



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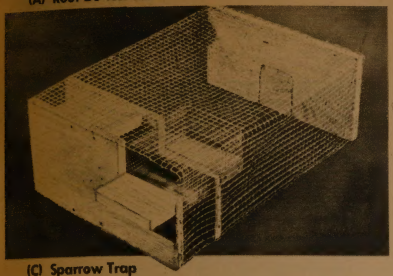

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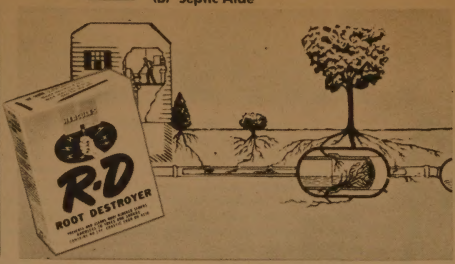


(D) Root Destroyer

(E) Cess-Kleen

(A) ROOF DE-ICER KIT

Prevents Winter Damage To Roof, Ceilings, Walls!

Roof De-Icer provides mild heat to prevent ice-jams at gutter or roof edge. Keeps water flowing freely and stops backup of ice which eventually damages roofs, invades interior and damages walls, insulation and ceilings. Prevents formation of dangerous icicles, too! Inconspicuous double-alloy cable has 10-ft. non-heating lead-in and patented shingle clips for fastening. Complete instructions. 120V.

R2427 Roof De-Icer, 20-ft. (1¼ lbs.) **5.25**
R2428 Roof De-Icer, 40-ft. (1½ lbs.) **8.45**
R2429 Roof De-Icer, 80-ft. (2¼ lbs.) **15.25**

(B) SEPTIC AIDE

- **Miracle-Cleans Septic Tanks!**
- **Ends Costly Clean-Outs!**

Pour a package of this amazing powder down the drain — and grease, grime strip away from tank walls, drains unclog, odors vanish! Instant bacterial action eliminates solids, prevents overflow. No messy mixing or work! Saves costly plumbing bills! Non-toxic, non-poisonous, non-caustic. Safe for plumbing, appliances, drainfields, animals, humans. **Can't hurt hands!** Used successfully by industry and institutions for years! Pkg. contains 6 treatments.

R8943 Septic Aide. (¼ lb.) **2.98**; 2 for **5.50**

(C) TRAP PESKY ENGLISH SPARROWS

Here's the easy way to catch the nuisances that chase song birds away from your garden! Automatic elevator harmlessly takes them from seed pan in the open to upper level inside the trap, then it returns. Songsters accidentally caught can be released unharmed. Completely humane; can't harm birds, pets, or children. Rust-resistant heavy gauge wire. 8x16x26".

R2610L Sparrow Trap. (12 lbs.) **12.95**

(D) R-D ROOT DESTROYER

End sewer-line root mess! Save on costly repair bills! Stop tree roots from growing in your sewer line. Thirsty tree roots can block up pipes, flood basements. Root Destroyer is effective immediately — safe! Just pour into toilet bowl — dissolves in minutes — destroys all roots in sewer line. Does not harm plumbing fixtures, sewer pipe, trees or hands. Don't wait until a flooded basement tells you it's too late! Guaranteed!

R3055 Root Destroyer, 2-lb. pkg. (2 lbs.) **3.95**

(E) CESS-KLEEN

- **Stops Cess Pool Overflow!**
- **Long-Lasting Chemical Action!**
- **One Easy Application!**
- **Safe & Easy To Use!**

Lasting-action chemical cleaner with miracle Biolene cleans septic tanks, pools with one easy application! Liquefies solids with instant bacterial action. Strips grease and grime from cesspool walls; ends grease trap clogging. Lets water penetrate ground; aids surrounding plant growth! Deodorizes, too! Lessens disease hazard! Pour down drain, let stand 10-15 minutes, flush with water. Safe, non-acid, non-caustic. 2 qts. clean 500-gallon tank.

R8999 Cess-Kleen, Quart. (3½ lbs.) **2.98**

(F) LITTLE GIANT STUMP REMOVER

- **No Digging Or Chopping!**

Easiest, most efficient way ever! Simply drill holes 6 to 12-in. deep in the stump and insert Little Giant Stump Remover. 12-in. diam. stump requires only 4 tablespoonfuls! Impregnates stumps so that they can be easily burned and removed.

R3063 Stump Remover, 8-oz. (½ lb.) **1.50**
R3064 Stump Remover, 16-oz. (1 lb.) **2.75**

(G) AUTOMATIC DRAIN PUMP

Amazing Siph-O Pump drains out flooded cellars at the rate of 360 gallons an hour — empties boats, washing machines, swimming pools fast, too! Just attach to faucet or hose, turn on water — powerful siphoning action starts immediately to suck out every drop of water! Durable aluminized zinc. Fits any standard faucet or hose. Instructions included.

R8679 Siph-O Drain Pump. (½ lb.) **2.98**

(H) TWO FACED SCARE-OWL

Efficient Bird-Chaser Keeps Unwanted Visitors Away

Here's the famous bird-chasing Scare-Owl that keeps pigeons, starlings, sea-gulls, etc., away from places where they're not wanted — around your home, office, gardens, boats. Easy to mount with built-in eyelet, it moves menacingly in the slightest breeze to keep other birds on the fly. Actually controls a 2500 sq. ft. area. Molded from featherweight pelaspan plastic and painted in lifelike colors, with special weatherproof coating, 12-in. high Scare-Owl is practically indestructible. So easy to install, you'll want several to protect your property.

R2512 Scare-Owl. (¼ lb.) **2.98**

(I) ACTIVO FOR COMPOST

- **Last Word In Smart Gardening!**
- **Speeds Organic Compost!**

Make valuable manure the natural, organic way! Mix Activo with grass clippings, garbage, non-woody vegetable matter — it works like magic! Conditions and energizes soil, extending costly fertilizer. Scientifically prepared from the best kinds of bacteria to hasten decomposition of compost.

R3351 Activo, Treats 400 lbs. (2 lbs.) **1.49**
R3352 Activo, Treats 1500 lbs. (7 lbs.) **2.95**
R3353L Activo, Treats 2 tons. (20 lbs.) **7.95**

SPECIAL OFFER

With each order for **Activo**, you may purchase an 8x14-ft. black plastic compost cover — with a retail value of 2.59 — for only 1.00! Compost cover holds heat and makes composting even faster — keeps weed seeds from sprouting — prevents leaves and lightweight material from blowing around.

R3350 Compost Cover. (1½ lbs.) **1.00**

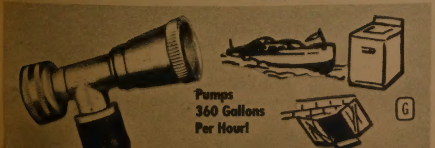
(J) KILL FLIES FAST! WORKS FOR AN ENTIRE SEASON!

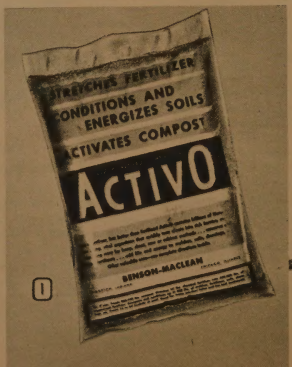
- **Less Trouble Than Sprays!**
- **Better, Safer Than Bombs!**
- **More Efficient Than Fly Paper!**

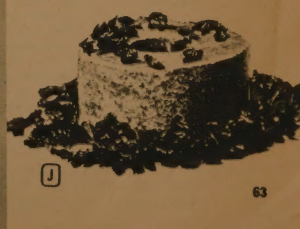
Handy new Fly Cake brings quick death to disease-bearing flies . . . perfected scientific discovery attracts them like magic! No fuss, no muss. Simply moisten Fly Cake and chemicals go right to work. Can't taint food, clothing, furniture. Not harmful to pets or humans. Lasts an entire season. 4 cakes equal control power of 100 aerosol bombs!

R8723 Single Fly Cake. (¼ lb.) **79c**
R8724 Set of 4 Fly Cakes. (1 lb.) **2.98**

Be sure to browse through our complete lists of flowers, vegetables and bulbs . . . with hundreds of illustrations, many in full, natural color. We bring you the best of the new varieties, plus all the old favorites to make your 1963 garden the most colorful ever!







EASY-FLIP PHOTO ALBUM

Ingenious album holds and protects scores of photos of your family, friends, unusual birds or your garden — with no messy time-wasting mounting required! They always lie flat, corners never become bent, fingerprints can't harm them! 3½x5" clear plastic pockets, on 5x8½" loose-leaf pages, take up to 20 photos on both sides . . . just flip them over to get the very best view! Leather-like ring binder comes with two insert pages . . . add more as needed to display hundreds of your favorite snapshots!

R5153 Easy-Flip Photo Album with 2 Inserts. (1 lb.) **1.39**
R5154 Extra Inserts. (¼ lb.) Set of 2, **1.29**

ATTRACT HUMMINGBIRDS!

The hummingbird — one of the loveliest and most admired of birds — is seldom seen unless your garden offers a special inducement to these tiny arrow-fast darters. Lure them with a Hanging Feeder! Just fill with sugar-sweetened water or honey, hang by attached wire near places where hummers have been seen feeding, then watch your garden come alive as they light among the blossoms! You'll be fascinated for hours by these fragile, unique gems of beauty. They're the only birds able to hover motionless or fly backward — fascinating to watch! Hummers must feed regularly to stay alive. The more feeders you provide, the more hummers you invite. Weatherproof Pyrex feeder, with no-drip tube, keeps nectar fresh at all times. Be sure to hang several feeders on the brightly-colored flowers and shrubs around your garden or patio!

R3628 Feeder. (¼ lb.) **1.00** each; 3 for only **2.75**

"GIANT DAISY" BIRD BATH

A truly attractive, ornamental bird bath to brighten your garden . . . this Spring-white "daisy" freshens your garden, as well as the birds! Durable, daisy-shaped styrene bowl is a jumbo 20-inches in diameter, 2-in. deep, with a golden-yellow center. Slightly roughened finish prevents birds from slipping. Foliage-green stem-stake of heavy metal has removable plastic leaves. 39-inches high overall. Top removes easily for cleaning or winter storage.

R2506L Daisy Bird Bath. (4 lbs.) **3.98**

NEW AEROSOL SPRAY CHAPERONE DOG REPELLENT

America's most popular dog repellent for shrubs, gardens, garbage pails, fence posts, car tire rims, etc. Keeps dogs, cats, rabbits and other animals where they belong — at a distance! Harmless, humane, invisible — a little spray goes a long way, lasts a long time — rain won't wash it away. You can't see or smell it — animals detest it!

R3114 Chaperone, Giant Spray Can. (1¼ lb.) **1.59**
R3113 Chaperone, Large Spray Can. (1 lb.) **1.19**

Protect furniture and rugs with **new indoor** aerosol Chaperone spray!

R3116 Indoor Chap., Giant Spray Can. (1¼ lb.) **1.59**
R3115 Indoor Chap., Large Spray Can. (1 lb.) **1.19**

CHAPERONE FLEA & TICK AEROSOL SPRAY

End suffering, endless scratching of flea-tormented animals! One light spray and good-bye to pests that plague your pets — cats and dogs! Use alone or with Flea-Kill Pet Bed (below) for super-strength protection. May be applied directly to bedding or fur — won't harm anything but the fleas and ticks! Jumbo, 8 oz. aerosol can lasts for months . . . keeps your pets happily free of annoying pests!

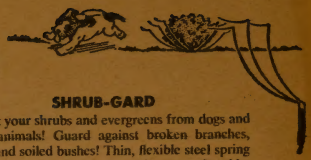
R3088 Flea & Tick Spray. (1 lb.) **1.49**

FLEA-KILL BEDS

KILL PESTS WHILE PETS SLEEP!

Easy way to prevent fleas from attacking pets, rid pets of fleas, ticks tormenting them, give relief from scratching! Soothing cedar scent in chemically-treated Dog Bed, enticing catnip aroma in Cat Bed, attracts pets away from favorite chairs, sofa, or rugs. Stain-resistant, Orlon-acrylic plaid cover is warm in winter, cool in summer . . . soft, sanitary foam plastic mattress asures restful sleep. Fully washable.

R3140 Dog Bed, 15x27". (¾ lb.) **4.95**
R3141 Dog Bed, 28x33". (1¾ lbs.) **6.95**
R3142 Dog Bed, 33x47". (3¼ lbs.) **12.95**
R3143 Cat Bed, 15x17". (¾ lb.) **3.95**



SHRUB-GARD

Protect your shrubs and evergreens from dogs and other animals! Guard against broken branches, burnt and soiled bushes! Thin, flexible steel spring wires make any animal's visit uncomfortable. Merely push into ground about 3 ft. apart for full protection. Approx. 15" high.

R2505L Pkg. of 12. (2½ lbs.) **3.85**

CHAPERONE DRI-FOAM SHAMPOO

This amazing formula helps you keep your pets sweetly-clean with a minimum of effort! Just spray onto fur from the easy-to-use aerosol can. Rub lightly with a damp towel . . . watch the fresh-smelling foam rise! Wipe off — that's all! Fido's coat is gleaming, soft and glossy! Prevents odors and mange the easy way . . . ends troublesome, messy, "dog-hated" dog baths! Large can.

R3090 Dri-Foam Shampoo. (1 lb.) **1.49**

PET SPOT & ODOR REMOVER

Oops — puppy made an error on your rug! Don't fret — let Pet Spot & Odor Remover come to the rescue! Simply wash area with concentrated spot wonder cleaner — stains and odors vanish like magic . . . leave no spots and stains to mar carpet beauty! Use also as a general fabric, rug and upholstery cleaner and spot remover! A must in any home with cats or dogs! Convenient 8-oz. bottle.

R3092 Pet Spot Remover. (1 lb.) **69c**

FOLDING FENCE

This beautiful modern fence is a graceful frame for garden or lawn while it protects your shrubs, flowers, plants and small trees from curious pets! No posts . . . no tools . . . no digging needed! Of white plastic bonded to steel, it unfolds to a strong 8-foot fence. Arrange in circles, squares, rectangles or straight lines to form an attractive border for your garden. Rustproof . . . never needs painting. 18" high.

R2408 Folding Fence. (3 lbs.) **1.98**

DOGS RUN FROM DOG-SHUN!

DOG-SHUN ROPE

One customer writes "We nearly had hysterics at the dogs' amazing reactions! They'd rush to the fence where we had stretched the Dog-Shun rope, start to bark and suddenly back away." Clean antiseptic odor, not offensive to humans.

R2087 Dog-Shun Rope, 110 Ft. (1½ lbs.) **1.69**

DOG-SHUN SPRAY

Famous Dog-Shun now in a handy 16-oz. push-button aerosol can. Spray it directly on problem spots to repel dogs.

R2085 Dog-Shun Spray. (1¼ lbs.) **1.49**

ORDERING INSTRUCTIONS

REMITTANCES. Please send Money Orders or Checks. We cannot assume risk for currency.

NO C.O.D.'s PLEASE! We do not ship C.O.D. The extra charges you would pay are out of proportion to the cost of goods.

DELIVERY TERMS. Please read and follow details of Delivery Terms below and on order blank.

BULBS — SEEDS. All Bulbs, Seeds and most Plants are sent prepaid when remittance accompanies order.

ALL OTHER GOODS. All other goods are sent prepaid, but customer remits as shown below:

EASY POSTAL CHART

NEW ENGLAND — ME., N.H., CONN., VT., MASS., R.I.	1st lb. or fraction	20¢
	Each add'l pound or fraction	5¢
OTHER STATES —	1st lb. or fraction	35¢
	Each add'l pound or fraction	10¢

(See postage space on Order Blank)

CHARGE ORDERS. Charge Customers need not list Shipping Weights. All Charge Orders are billed for merchandise, PLUS full postage.

SHORTAGES & PARTIAL SHIPMENTS. Please open all packages before reporting shortages. We often enclose small packages within larger individual packages to save transportation charges, etc. Onion sets, roots, bulbs, nursery stock and certain other items are often sent separately — sometimes at later dates. If you write us about any item, be sure to send back all order papers enclosed in package.

(A) FLOWER-DRI KIT

Preserves Fresh Blooms!

Miracle Flower-Dri keeps fresh-cut flowers beautiful for years by removing only the moisture, not the delicacy and color, from blossoms! Dehydrated flowers last indefinitely . . . yet possess a beauty far surpassing artificial blooms . . . at a fraction of the cost! You'll gather compliments on your naturally brilliant, "just-picked" bouquets all winter long! Easy and fun to use. Can be used over and over. Kit includes Flower-Dri, wire, tape — everything you need! Instr.

R2638 Flower-Dri Kit. (3 lbs.) **4.95**

(B) PERMA-TINT KIT

Colors Fresh-Cut Flowers !

Create original, beautiful flower arrangements in colors as varied as the rainbow's! Perma-Tint lets you tint freshly-cut flowers and foliage in any hue desired . . . match the decor in any room! When used with Flower-Dri (above), you can have flowers in garden-fresh, naturally brilliant colors or your own original colors in a permanently preserved arrangement, created especially for you — by you! Just add Perma-Tint to water, insert flowers. Kit contains 4 colors — green, red, yellow, blue — you can easily blend others. Instr.

R2639 Perma-Tint Kit. (¾ lb.) **1.98**

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